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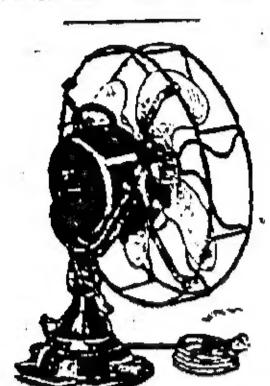
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LONDON, But 19. The United Kingdom 19:288,000 tons, the United States 12:314,000 tons, Japan 3,063,000 tons, France 3,046,000 tons, Italy 2,378,000 tons, and Norway 2,285,000 tons, is the order of sea-going steam tonnage given in Lloyd's Register of 1921-22 which records 33,000 steamers and sailing vessels of a minimum of a hundred tons. The world's tonnage is nearly 62,000,000. The United States the world's sailing tonnage, which owns 40 per cent of is five per cent., of the total tonnage compared with eight per cent. ing 1914. The United Kingdom owns 352 per cent, of the world's ocean-going steam tonnage, compared with 442 per cent., in 1914. Great development in the use of liquid fuel is recorded since 1914, when there-were 364 steamers of 1,310 thousand tons burning oil. There are now 2,536 vessels of 12,797,000 tons burning oil.

SHIPPING BOARD LOSSES

\$280,000,000 MORE THAN ESTIMATED.

WASHINGTON, Ibly 19.

Mr. Lasker, Chairman of the United States Shipping Board announces that the operations of the Board's fleet during the past first rear resulted in a loss of approximately \$380,000,000, which is \$280,000,000 more than was estimated. He adds that the Government's venture in the merchant marine business last year involved a total expenditure of \$680,000,000. It is estimated that it will cost \$300,000,000 to operate the ficet during the present year.

A GOVERNMENT DEFEAT.

EXCITEMENT IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

LONDON, July 19. The Government was defeated in the House of Commons to a evening in the course of a discussion on the Finance Bill. An amendment moved by a Coalition Unionist supported by Mr. Asquith exempting a coverative societies from the corporation tax was carried against the Government by 137 rates to 135 amidst loud Opposition cheers. Sir Donald Maclean asked what the Government was going to do. Mr. Austen Chamberlain replied that it intended to proceed with the Bill. Opposition cries of "Resign!" and Ministerial cheers. The House then proceeded to consider other amendments and excitement subsided.

REBUILDING RHEIES LIBRARY.

CARNEGIE FOUNDATION'S DONATES \$200,000.

PARIS, July 19. Dr. Murray Bulter, President of the Carnegie Foundation, laid the first stone of the library at Rheims which is being rebuilt, thanks to the Foundation's donation of \$200,000. The American Ambassador, Mr. Herrick, made a speech hoping that the new library would symbolise everlasting Franco-American friendship.

PRINCE TO VISIT JAPAN.

TRIP TO BE MADE IN MARCH OR APRIL NEXT.

LONDON, July 19.

The Japanese Government has formally invited the Prince of Wales to visit Japan after his tour-of India. It is understood that the King welcomes the invitation. There is every reason to believe that the Prince of Wales will visit Japan in March or April of 1922.

EXCHEQUER RETURNS.

RECEIPTS SHOW BIG DROP EXPENDITURE LITTLE ONE.

LONDON, July 19.

The Exchequer returns for the period from April 1 to July 16 are as follows:-Receipts, £253,500,000, and expenditure £305,500,000, compared with £374,000,000 and £321,000,000 respectively for the corresponding period in 1920.

BISLEY SHOOTING.

ENGLAND WINS MACKINNON CUP.

LONDON, July 19. At Bisley the Mackinnon Cup contest resulted as follows :- England 1,521 points, Scotland 1,480, Canada 1,463 Ireland 1,461, and Wales 1,233.

DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE.

NEW YORK, July 19. It is understood that President Harding has decided that the Senate shall be represented on the American delegation to the disarmament conference owing to the Senate's joint, responsibility with the Executive with regard to America's foreign relations.

NEW REPUBLICS FORM ALLIANCE.

had been concluded among Lithusnia, Latvia, and Kathonia. Periodical tain circulated by the German Governmeetings of their ministers to discuss questions of defence, trade, and foreign policy had been arranged.

THE DOLLAR.

To-day's closing rate 2,7 To-day's opening rate 2/7 78

FIFTY DUCKS

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CRUELTY PUNISHED

Convicted of having been guilty of cruelty to ducks a Chinese who was presented at the Police Court this morning was ordered by Magistrate Orme to pay a fine of five dollars.

Sanitary Inspector Mr. McEwen. who prosecuted, related that the defendant was found this morning carrying five small baskets which each contained 50 ducks. There was no matting in the bottom of the baskets and the birds' legs were protruding. The Magistrate wanted to know whether notices had been posted up advising that baskets should be lined with matting. It seemed to him that

it ought to be done. Inspector Appleton replied that the Sanitary Department would see to the matter.

WATER POLO.

WILTS BEAT R.H.K.Y.C.

Yesterday afternoon's game at the R.H.K.Y.C. club house resulted in a walk-over for the Wilts men. The Royals" unfortunately were only able to field two of the players who had been selected to represent the Club and the other five places had to be filled from bathers picked up at random.

The teams eventually lined up as follows:--

2nd Wiltshires .- Wood; Samut and Smith-Dowse: Collins; Alderman, Le Hurey and Drew.

R.H.K.Y.C.—Bingham: McCann and Hewitt; Anderson; Franks, Finch and Rodger.

The soldiers were in good form and at the close of the first half Le Hurey had notched three goals and Drew had scored two. Early in the second half the ranks of the "Royals" were weakened by the retirement through cramp of Franks and for the rest of the game they played

Finch worked like a Trojan but could only manage one goal and, after Le Hurey had scored two more, the Wiltshires found themselves the winners by 7 goals to 1.

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Dr. Barnardo's Homes are making their annual appeal for half-crowns for the Founder's Day Food Bill Fund in connection with their Anniversary celebrated on Saturday, June 25, at the Model Village for Girls, Barkingside, Essex.

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a very large number. Cheques and Orders may be made payable to "Dr. Barnardo's Founder's Day Fund" and crossed, and sent to the Director, Rear-Admiral Sir Harry Stileman, 18 to 26, Stepney Causeway, London, E. 1.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Beruice to the China Moll.) FRENCH NOTE TO GERMANY.

Paris, July 18th. In a Note to Germany, the French Government gives precise facts and figures showing that disarmament in Germany is still largely fictitious, and that the situation in Upper Silesia is increasingly dangerous. France, therefore, deems it advisable to send reinforcements.

The timeliness of such a measure was

The timeliness of such a measure was at once demonstrated by events. Allied officers being attacked, yesterday, at various places in Upper Silesia. France's aim is solely the execution of the Peace Treaty and the restoration of peace in Europe. The report of alleged ment Press is only the clumsiest attempt to split the Entente Cordicle, which is the keystone of world peace.—Haves.

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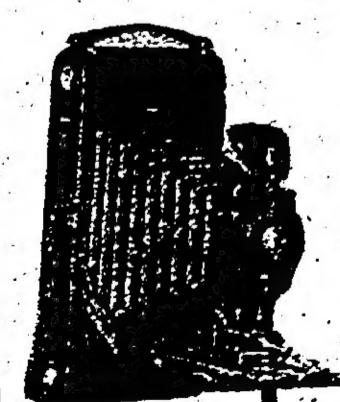
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IMPROVED CONDITIONS.

FREIGHT RATES REDUCED.

Since our last report, dated April 23, says the Australian Monthly Market Report for May trade conditions in Australia have steadily impoved, although the position is still far from normal. Largely as a result of the satisfactory sales of Australian wheat which have been effected, increased funds are now becoming available in London, and already quite a noticeable improvement has occurred in the exchange position. That the financial position has not been righted, however, is evident, as the latest import and export statistics published show that the trade balance is still very much against us, although the enforced action the banks in withholding ordinary exchange facilities is materially reducing this adverse balance. Ocean freight rates have undergone little change since last writing, but the tenden y is doubtless a downward one, the current rate on wheat and flour to South Africa being 50 - per ton, as against 57 6 a month ago, whilst to Manila and Hongkong the rate has been reduced as from June 1 to 40 - per 200 lb. There is a plentiful supply of steam tonnage offering for South Africa, the United Kingdom, and the various Eastern trade routes, and the rates to all these destinations is lower than we

able time. The labour and industrial outlook is, if anything, somewhat improved, due to fairly widespread unemployment, as it is naturally to be expected that with a large body of unemployed there will be fewer strikes and an improved volume of output on the part of those who are at work. Some wery large extensions have been planned in the manufacturing andustry, particularly in the manufacture of metals, machinery, and rubber and woollen goods, and although, as we write, the majority of mineral mines throughout the Commonwealth are closed down owing to the collapse of the metal market, and the immediate prospects of this industry are, therefore not too bright, it is expected that advances will be made immediately the financial position becomes easier.

have known them for some consider-

Manufacturers are seeking to extend their export trade in anticipation of their increased output, and in the Latter direction the Federal and the State Governments are assisting by the appointment of Trade Commissioners abroad, and officers have aiready been appointed to China and Italy, while the Government has promised to largely extend this system. In the manufacturing world an unsettling factor at the moment is the Customs Tariff, which has recently been introduced in the Federal Parliament, and is to be disposed of this session. This tariff which is naturally a very contentious measure, provides for extremely heavy duties on many manufactured goods, and, if it becomes law, will be of immense assistance to manufacturers, enabling them to compete with the foreign manufactured article.

The agricultural outlook is very bright indeed, although the autumn rains, which have not yet fallen, would be very welcome in the country districts. In the wheat belt of Australia growers are already work, sowing early for next crop. The positio with regard to the Australian wool clip is, unfortunately, very critical, owing to the serious fall in wool walues on the London market. Exceedingly large stocks of wool are on hand in Australia, and a body, styled British-Australasian Wool Realisation Association, has been formed to undertake the very difficult task of disposing of the clip. The failure to secure good prices for Australian wool which is usually our largest asset—has not improved the aiready difficult financial position.

Transportation services, both insand and coastal, are now normal again, and labour troubles would seem to be at an end, for a time at Australia is still in a somewhat pre carious position, as orders for flour are not nearly up to the usual wolume, and indications for the rest of the season are not very hopeful. The majority of the mills throughout the country are working on short time, while we know of a few that ! have been forced to close down altogether.

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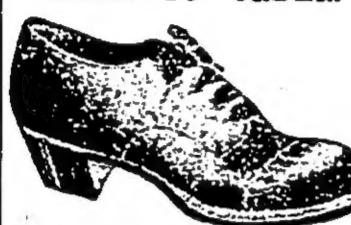
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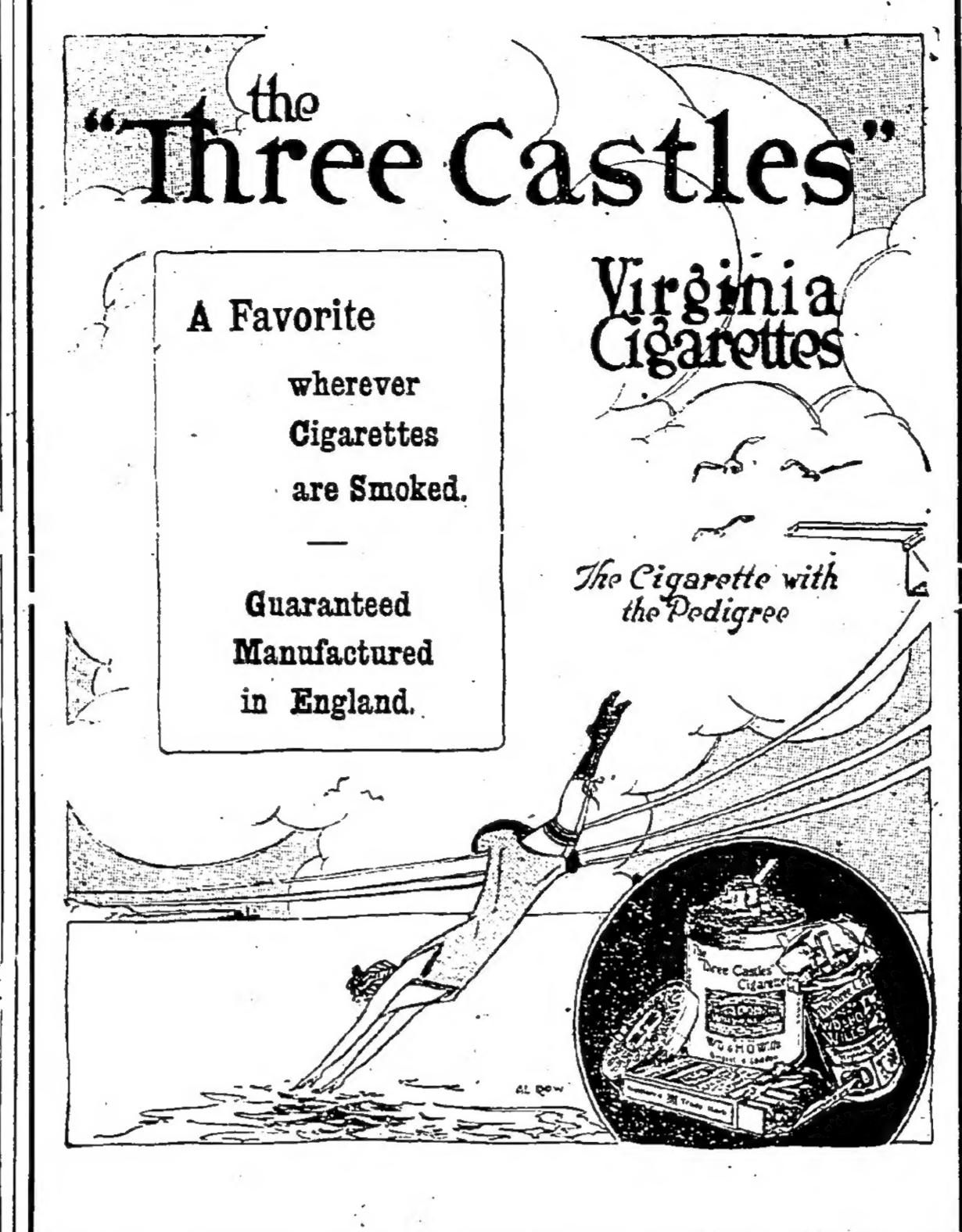
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An important new agreement between shipowners and the Marconi Company has been drawn up as a Company an increase in pay, and result of conferences held at the under the terms of Clause 4 of the on ship's tusiness irrespective of Chamber of Shipping. This premises | Chamber of Shipping Agreement the to clear up several of the disabilities | Marconi Company applied to the under which the shipowner has weak. Shipping Federation to sanction the ed in the past concerning operators' hours, cost of installations, and the understanding that such sanction

systems in use. ter of Shipping, Mr H. M. Cleminson, Journal of Commerce representative, and of the Marconi Company were and remarked that while the present, the Shipping Federation apactual agreement was drawn up proved certain increases to operators. with the Marconi Company, the wish of shipcwrers was that there to the suggestion of the Chamber of should be free competition between Shipping, Mr. Isaacs, on behalf of the wireless comparies in the supply the Marconi Company, agreed to ing of installations for thipping. The arrend the Chamber of Shipping agreement embedies the terms the Agreement then existing between the Marceni Company has effered to Marceni Company and certain shipthipewrers in respect to all new owners. irstallations, and also applies to the Newotiations for the amendment 200 ships which have been fitted with of the agreement have proceeded Marconiagraratuscuring the regotia- | sirce that date, and the Marconi tions. The Marconi Company has C mpany have given the Chamber also effered all other shipowners of Shipping all facilities to ascertain carrying its installation the benefit of the exect amount due from shipthe new terms in place of the old. owners in respect of the increase of Thus it will enable an owner who wages to operators. This amount fitted wireless in 1917 under the ten his not been assessed on the basis of years' agreement to terminate this in actual and estimated figures at the form, if he to desires. The Cenven- for the period 16th May, 1920, to 30th tien of 1914 was the first wireles -Ji ne, 1921, additional to the amount legislation, and the Marconi Com. die under the Chamber of Shipting rany drew up an agreement with Agreement, namely, £130 (ie., £100, thipowrere. This was redrafted frem plus £30 approved in 1918). time to time, and the shirewrers accordance, therefore, with the rever quite krew where they were. Clanter of Shipping Agreement,

to call upon owrers to subscribe to the Chamber could approve Evenshould be made clear that the latter | delay. while on board were the servants of

from the company.

this will prevent considerable wastage: which they will be committed under of time at the instrument, and save the new agreement will date from the considerably in wireless personnel. It actual date of installation of their apis hoped to change the present S.O.S. paratus, and not from the date on call for another one to which the which they signed this amended instrument will be more sensitive, agreement. The other conditions even in the most crowded waters, of the amended agreement will The Marconi Company made one or apply from the date of signature two valuable concessions to owners by the shipowner with the in the new agreement.

THE NEW AGREEMENT.

In May, 1920, the wirelesss operators demanded from the Marconi increase on behalf of shipowners, on lay-up of a ship has commenced prowould commit shipowners to pay the The general manager of the Cham. increase to the Marconi Company.

At the same meeting in response

In 1917 the Chamber of Shipping shipewaters are now informed that irvited the Marceni Company to lay 4237 eft of £78 per operator per prepora's for a definite draft before in um for the period in question or the Chamber, and to undertake not fro rate for any shorter period is due to the Marcont Company; credit will more cherous terms than those which be given for any bonuses paid. As a large part of the amount accrued tually the revised form of agreement | some time ago, shipowners are saked was arrived at Shiptwhere felt to settle the claim with the Marconi with regard to operators that it Company with the least possible

In the amended Chamber of Shipthe owner, and must follow the cap- ping agreement-the terms of which tain's orders, not only in regard to in the view of the Chamber fulfil the wireless work, but in any other duties promise that Mr. Isanes voluntarily Burcher asked the Presure of the which could be conveniently under- gave in May, 1920-the Marconi Brand of Trade whether the attention taken by wireless operators. For Company offer to all shippwhere the hid been called to that portion of the instance, they could give very effect option of signing on agreement on toport of the Select Court te on tive assistance in tallying carpoes, the amended terms in substitution Pensions witch recommended terms in substitution Pensions witch recommended terms. Under the new agreement the ship- of the agreement under which they efficers and other turks, to

exception that owners will retain the benefit of the undermentioned concessions agreed with the Chamber during negetiations concerning the new form, viz.:-

(b) Cessation of responsibility for operators' wages one month after

this as a material concession by the At a meeting at which represent. Marconi Company, which should explained the new agreement to a stives of the Chamber of Shipping remove in a large measure the object tion felt by many shipowners to the prelonged commitments into which they entered under pressure of war,

owners either to provide their own operators or to obtain operators from the Marconi Company. The price which the Marconi Company will charge for providing operators will depend upon the wages current from time to time, but the Marconi Company have agreed that the basis of payment shall be the sum of \$130 payable by shipowners under the original Chamber of Shipping agreement, and that the further charge, if any, shall depend upon the increase of wage sanctioned from time to time by the Shipping Federation, as compared with the cost to the Marconi Com-1922 on telms set out in the revised rate of £78 per operator per armun- party of operators prior to the n.eering in May, 1920.

Messis. Siemens Bros. and Co., Lid., state that they are prepared to accept the same basis of payment for the wages of operators for the terrifical May 6, 1920-June 30, 1971 1.6 Radio Co. cres not private ter operator or operators supplied u rach obsolete warships and other wessels

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vided notice of lay-up is given. The Chamber of Shipping regard

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cwiner may employ his own operator work at present. It will be noticed Mer antile Marine who seem affect New Orleans via the Suez Canal has from outside, or le may obtain one that the amerded terms provide, during the war in British marchant become a scene of a three-cornered inter alia, for freed m to the Vessels should be revenue as contest between Japanese, British, steel, On the subject of operators it is shipowner to give up the use of having been engaged in war and American ships. Previously, important to remember that there is the Marconi apparatus on certain service, provided such struce was Mesers. Harrisons and Crosfield had recondition the vessel this week, and every hope that in a very short time terms five years after the date of performed under circumster completed. automatic calling devices will be installation. Shipowners abould ob- the normal risks or strain were transporting Indian hemp, gunny in time to be visited by the King atapproved by the Board of Trade, and serve that the period of five years for increased by war conditions; bags, bonedust, etc. to America (by Cowes in August.

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whether this recommendation and, if which is simply meant that nobody would be given to the matter. Mr. Stanley Baldwin.-This recom-

mendation is receiving attention, and the line. Subsequently, an American I hope to be able to let my hon, and learned friend know in the course of a few days the terms of the decision arrived at.

"THE DREADNOUGHT" SOLD.

The Admiralty has decided to sell 113 warships to Messrs. T W Ward. operators on the basis of hat flat Ltd., of Albion Works, Sheffield, who rate Iu: upon the seems are of the have for years been purchasing The purchase price of the vessels

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INDO-AMERICAN RUN

The Mainichi says that the India-American line between Calcutta and

whether immediate attention else happened to be doing the business). In June last year, however, the Osaka Shosen Kaisha invaded shipping company has opened a regular run with a weekly service in co-operation with an Indian firm, followed by the Dollar line and another. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha has also an idea of taking a share. There are indications that rivalry regarding freight rates will become

THE QUEST.

SHACKLETON'S NEW SHIP.

In a corner of the Southampton Docks is tucked away a little vessel whose travels may one day grip the attention of the whole world. It is the "Foca L," re-christened "The-Quest," in which Sir Ernest Shackleton, the explorer, hopes to set out late this summer on a new expedition.

The vessel, which is a two-masted sloop with an auxiliary steam engine and was originally Norweglan, is of great strength. Its bows are of wood-5ft. thick, its hull is about 2ft; thick, and the bows and fore part are strengthened with thick-plate of

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at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, DES VOUX ROAD, Corner of Ice House Street. Balance of consignment Cotton Sheets, Türkish Towels, Madapoliam and Imitation Tussore,

without reserve. Terms :- Cash on delivery. HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers.

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FRIDAY, July 22, 1921, at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Voux Road, Corner of Ico House Street,

The Wreck of the S. S. "HONG MOH"

as she now lies. The "Hong Moh" was wrecked on or about 3rd March 1921, off Swatow. Terms :-- Cash on fell of the hammer. HUGHES & ROUGH, Auctioneers.

Hongkong, July 14, 1921.

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FRIDAY,

July 22, 1921, at 2.30 p.m. at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Voux Road, Corner of Ice House Street, Henderson 4-Cly. Motor Cycle, guaranteed in perfect road condition. Terms :- Cash on delivery.

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WEDNESDAY July 27, 1921, at 2.30 p.m., at their Salas Rooms, No. 8, Des Vorux Road, Corner of

Ice House Street, Collection of Valuable Postage Stamps, Broken up into small lots by countries, &c., to suit individual buyers. Including Hongkong 4 cts. perf. 121

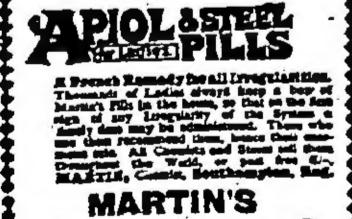
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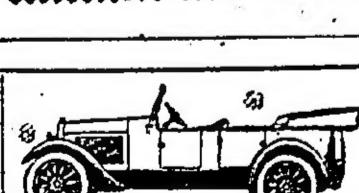
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INTIMATIONS.

DISTRICT GRAND LODGE OF HONGKONG AND SOUTH CHINA

"ISITING Masons are invited to attend the INSTALLATION of the Rt. Worshipful District Grand Master Designate (WOR. BRO. PERCY HOLYOAK, D. D. G. M.) TO-DAY, 20th July, at 5.15 P.M., for 5.30 p.m. precisely, at Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street.

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

AN INTERIM DIVIDEND of ONE A DOLLAR per Share for the six PAYABLE on TUESDAY, August 9th, Company's Registered Office in the on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from TUESDAY, August 2nd to TUESDAY. August 9th, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can Association Memorandum differs be Registered. By Order of the Board of Directors,

G. E. ELLAMS,

Acting Secretary. Hongkong, July 18, 1921.

NOTICE.

THE GENERAL OFFICER COM-MANDING, Chies Command brings to the notice of all concerned that no soldier can be placed under stoppages of pay for a private debt. If, therefore, inhabitants soldiers to contract debts, they will do and also for the following further

so at their own risk. Hongkong, July 19, 1921.

THE HONGKONG SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

Fatrons.

H. E. The Governor, Sir R. E. Stubbs, K C M.G., and Lady Stubbs. President, Mr. Justice Gompertz. Hon. Treasurer, J. H. Ramsay. Hon. Secretary, B. L. Frost.

The objects of the Society are :-1. The education of the people by animals.

The appointment of a paid inspector to supervise the work. The possibility of taking over and running the Dogs' Home.

The provision of drinking troughs for dogs in different parts of the Colony. The labour of other charities is

divided among many associations but this charity stands alone—the defender of defenceless dumb animals.

Those desirous of becoming members of the Society, the annual subscription to which is \$2 for adults and 25 cents for children, and those who wish to make it possible for the above object to be carried out by making donations, will greatly oblige by forwarding same to the Hon. Treasurer, c/o The Hongkong and Shanghai Bank.

CONSTITUTIONAL REFORM.

THE PETITION May be signed at the following places: Hongkong Club,

. Phoenix Club, The Engineer's Institute, Kowloon Cricket Club, Kowloon Bowling Green Club, Club de Recreio, Victoria Recreation Club, Lusitano Club, Taikoo Recreation Club, Kowloon Dock Reading Room, Messrs. Wiseman's Ltd. Mesers. Lane, Crawford Ltd,

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INTIMATIONS

HONGKONG HOTEL CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GEN ERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held at the HONG-KONG HOTEL Pedder Street Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong. on WEDNESDAY, the TWENTY-Full dress or white mess jacket to be SEVENTH DAY OF JULY, 1921 AT NOON, for the purpose of considering, and, if thought fit, approving the draft new Memorandum of Association of the Company which will be submitted to the Meeting. print of such draft new Memorandum of Association and a print of the existing Memorandum of Association menths ending 30th June, 1921, will be of the Company may be seen at the Hongkong Hotel, Pedder Street aforesaid, and a comparison of the print of the existing Memorandum of Association with the print of the draft new Memorandum of Association will show wherein the draft new Association. Should Meeting approve of such Memorandum of Association with or without modification, the subjoined Resolution will be proposed as an Extraordinary Resolution, namely: -

(1). That the provisions of the Company's Memorandum of Association with respect to its objects be altered so as to read as shewn in the print signed for the purpose of identification by the Chairman of this Meeting.

purposes, namely :-For the purpose of considering, and, if thought fit, approving the draft new Articles of the Company which will be submitted to the Meeting. A print of such new Articles and a print of the existing Articles may be seen at the Company's Registered Office in the Hongkong Hotel Pedder Street aforesaid. In such print the portions of the proposed new Articles which differ from the existing Articles are indicated by underlining in black ink and by marginal notes. Should the Meeting approve of such new Articles with or propaganda, etc., in the knowledge without modification. the subjoined of the proper treatment of dumb Resolution will be proposed as an Extraordinary Resolution, namely:-

(2). That the new Articles already approved by this Meeting and for the purpose of identification subscribed by the Chairman thereof, be and the same are hereby adopted as the Articles of the Company to the exclusion of and in substitution for all the existing Articles thereof.

ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING | bereafter be published by them. HONGKONG HOTEL. Street aforesaid, on SATURDAY, THIRTEENTH DAY AUGUST, 1921, AT NOON, for the purpose of receiving a report of the proceedings at the above mentioned Meeting and of confirming, if thought fit, as Special Resolutions, the above mentioned Resolutions (Nos. 1 and

Should the first of the above Resolutions (No. 1) be confirmed as a Special Resolution by the requisite majority, the alterations in the Company's memorandum of Association consequently involved will be submitted to the Supreme Court of Hongkong for confirmation.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that the said SECOND EX-TRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING to be held as aforesaid will be continued for the purpose of considering, and, if thought fit, passing the following further Resolutions as Extraordinary Resolutions,

namely :-(3). That each of the existing 20,000 fully paid up shares of \$50 each constituting the Company's present Capital of \$1,000,000 be divided into 5 fully paid up shares of \$10 each so as to make such Capital \$1,000,000 consisting of 100,000 fully paid up shares of \$10 each. (4). That after the division afore-

said, the Capital of the Company be increased from \$1,000,000 consisting as aforesaid, \$2,560,000 divided into 250,000 shares of \$10 each by the creation of 150,000 new shares of \$10 each-such new shares (subject as hereinafter mentioned) to be issued at such time or times and Board of Directors may think fit.

(5). That it is desirable to capitalise the sum of \$1,000,000 being part of the undivided profits o the Company standing to the credit of the General Reserve, and accordingly that for the purpose of effecting such cap- 1921. italisation such sum of \$1,000,-600 be distributed as bonus among the shareholders of the

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT & AGENCY CO., LTD.

A N INTERIM DIVIDEND of FOUR A DOLLARS per share for the six months ending 30th June, 1921, will be payable on TUESDAY. July 26th, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the TO LET.-LARGE GODOWN AT Company will be CLOSED TUESDAY, the 19th to TUESDAY, the Godown). Apply to LEE HAY SAN & 26th July, (both days inclusive) during Co., 202, Queen's Road Central. which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors. L, S. GREENHILL, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, July 12, 1921.

THE HONGKONG CENTRAL ESTATE, LIMITED.

A DOLLARS per share for the six apply Box 1288, c'o "CHINA MAIL" months ending 30th June, 1921, will be payable on TUESDAY, July 26th, on which date Dividend Warrants may from the existing Memorandum be obtained on application at the Comthe pany's Office.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from TUES DAY, the 19th to TUESDAY, the 26th July, (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors. I. S. GREENHILL, Acting Secretary to The General Managers. Hongkong, July 12, 1931.

THE WEST POINT BUILDING CO., LTD.

AN' INTERIM DIVIDEND AL TWELVE DOLLARS per share for the six months ending 30th June, 1921, will be payable on TUESDAY July 26th, on which data Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of Company will be CLOSED from TUES-DAY, the 19th to TUESDAY, the 26th July, (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can By Order of the Board of Directors.

L. S. GREENHILL, Acting Secretary to The Hongkong Land Investment & Agency Co., Ltd. General Agents for The West Point Building Co., Ltd. Hongkong, July 12, 1991

NOTICE.

ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that IN withe HONGKONG DOLLAR DIRECTORY has been acquired, AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO from July 7th, 1921, by the undersign-GIVEN that a SECOND EXTRA- ed with all rights and titles, and will of the Company will be held at the claims against the Hongkong Dollar Directory incurred prior to this date lowering of the rates on cotton yarn will be admitted by the undersigned. THE NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE

5, Wyndham Street. Hongkong, July 7, 1921.

hereinafter referred to, and that a bonus be declared accordingly. And further that the Company's Board of Directors be and they are hereby authorised to satisfy such bonus as far as possible by the distribution in manner aforesaid of 100,000 shares of \$10 each credited as fully paid.up among the persons who are registered as the holders of the shares constituting the Com- Dividend (10 per cent ... pany's present Capital \$1,000,000 on such date as the Carried Forward...... Company's Board of Directors shall decide-such last mentioned shares to rank pari passu with the shares constituting the Company's present Capital \$1,000,000 in respect of all profits of the Company earned since the 31st December, 1920, and such distribution to be in satisfaction of the aforementioned bonus.

ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the HONGKONG HOTEL, Pedder the THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF in every respect as the Company's purpose of receiving a report of the as those from Shanghai from June 28. of confirming, if thought fit such last mentioned Resolutions as Special Resolutions.

Dated this Fourteenth day of July,

By Order of the Board. J. H. TAGGART, Manager.

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SHIPPING.

COMPETITION IN CHINA TRADE.

Severe competition is now going on among Japanese and foreign ships on the South China line. The Nisshin Steamship Company has maintained a Shanghai-Hongkong-Canton line since last January with the "Rosan-maru," "Susan-maru," and "Haryo-maru," all of which were newly built at the Uraga Dock Company. Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Butterfield & Swire, and the China Merchants S.N. Company, have fifteen or sixteen ships on the same run. The freight rate was at one time about Y23, but the foreign competitors have decreased it to Y12.30, followed by an equivalent decrease by the Nisshin Company. A one voyage run, it is said, results in a loss of Y8,000 and the Nisshin can hardly maintain the line with the small yearly subsidy of Y150,000. The British companies are expected to put more ships on the line with full determination of regaining their pre-war influence.

THE BOMBAY TRADE.

There were expectations in Japan that with the coming of the monsoon the Bombay line would do little business and would pick up little cargo on the homeward voyage. so far as present circumstances are concerned, the monsoon is unexpectedly calm, and purchases of raw cotton are being continually made by Japanese merchants owing to the quotation for cotton yarn being well maintained on the demestic market. Outward navigation is also

doing pretty well. A committee meeting of the Spinning Association was held on June 28. Rates were fixed for the transportation of Indian raw cotton for the present term, the amount being estimated at 540,000 bales. For the and piecegoods, negotiations were made with the shipping companies concerned, but no compromise has been found yet. Negotiations will shortly be re-opened.

OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA.

The following are the accounts of Company in proportion to the the Osaka Shosen Kaisha presented shares in the Company's present at a meeting of the management on Capital of \$1,000,000 held by June 27, to be submitted to the them respectively on the date general meeting of shareholders:-Gross Receipts------ Y29,980,009 24,940,000 Gross Losses Net Profit.... 4,950,000 Reserve Balance Brought Forward 1,425,000 Transferred from Divi-2,000,000 dend Reserve 3,515,000 Total..... per annum)..... EXPORT DEAD. Despite the depression prevailing

throughout the shipping world, the Indian and European lines have somewhat recovered from their decline and have been securing some shipments. With this, the headquarters of the European Homeward Conference in London have contemplated an increase in the rates from Shanghai to Europe and have now GIVEN that a THIRD EXTRA- per cent. from the 25th June Notification to the same effect has been dispatched to the Nippon Yusen Kaisha and other shipping companies participating in the Conference. They Street, aforesaid on WEDNESDAY, at once held a meeting in Yokohama and determined to increase the rates AUGUST, 1921, AT NOON, for the from Yokohama to the same extent proceedings at the above mentioned It is not expected, however, that this Meeting in so far as regards Re- will have much immediate effect, as solutions Nos. 3, 4 and 5 above and export could hardly be more completely dead than it is at present,

CHINA COASTING SERVICES.

The Yamashita Kisen Kaisha has en doing good business on the eclung-Amoy - Swatow - Hongkong-Hungchi line, which it opened some time ago with three vessels. Lately, to a conviction the previous day,

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APPROXIMATE RETAIL PRICES.

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Butcher Mest.

Seel Strioth, -Mel Long Pa ... lb.

.. Prime Cut

" Breast,-Ngan Nam "" "

Sonp,-Tong Yuk ...

Steak,-Ngan Yuk Pa

" Steak Sirloin,-Ngan Lan .. 28

. Sansages, - Ngan Cheung ., 25

Ballock's Brains,-Ngan No per set 10

Tongue, fresh,-Ngan Ll each 60

Head,-Ngau Tan... each 80

Heart,-Ngan Sam., lb. 13

Hump, Salt-Ngan Kin ., 18

Peet,-Ngan Keuk ... each 10

Liver,-Ngan Kon... lb. 13

Tripe (undressed), Ngan To lb. 6

Kidneys,-Ngaq Yin ,

Calves' Head and Feet,-Ngan-isal-

Pig's Chiblings, -Chu Chong

Mutton Chop,-Young Pal Kwat 1b. 33

Brains - Ohn No per seb

Fry,-Cha Chap

. Feet,-Ohn Kenk ... ib. 15

. Head -Chu Tau , 15

. Heart,-Ohu Sam ... each 10

Kidneys,-Chu Yin ... each 10

Liver,-Cha Kon ... 1b. 33

Fat or Lard, -Chu Tau... , 23

Tan-Keuk set 70

Heart,-Young Sam ... each 10

Kidneys,-Young Yiu each 12

Liver, - Young Kon ... Ib. 32

Mutton, -Shang Yeang Yau .. 32

Sannages,-Ngsa Tasi Cheung 20

Fish.

Bream,-Pin Ya... 14

Sucking Pigs, to order, -Chu Tsal .. 24

Suet, Boof,-Shang Ngan Yau ... , 20

Veal, -- Ngau Tsal Yuk...

Barbel,-Es Your see on the

Carp,-Li Yu ... in in in

Ostfish,-Ohik Tu ,,

Outtle Fish,-Muk Yu ... ,.. ;,

Dab,-Sha Mang Yo ,,

Daca,-Wong Mei Lap ... ,.. ,,

Sals, Conger,-Hol Man ...

.. Fresh water,-Tam Shul Yu ,

, Islow - Wong Siz ,,

Garoupa,-Shek Pan... ,,

Gudreon .-- Pak Kap Yu

Herrings,-Tso Pak

Helibut,-Ohenng Kwin Kap...

Labrus, -- Wong Fa Yu

Losch.—Wa Ya

Lobsters,-Lung Ha ,,

Mackerel.-Chi Yu

Monk Fish,-Mong Yu

Mullet,-Test You

Orsters.-Shang Ho

Parrot Fish,-Kai Knug Yu

Perch,-Tau Lo in in my

Pike. - Fa Pan Fong ;;

Plaice -Pan Yu.

Pomfret, Black,-- Hak Chong ... ,.

Pomfrat, White, Chong ...

Prawns.—Ming E

Rock Fish.-Shek Kan Kung

Rosch.-Chun Yu

Selmon,-Ma Yau....

inte.—Po Yu

Suspper,-Lap Ya ,,

Tarbot -Tso Han Ya

Turtles, small fresh water,-

Ray.—Pai Pa Sha

Shark,—Sha Yu

Soles, - Tab She Yu ...

hrimps.—Hs

Dog Fish, - Tit To Sha 10

Canton Frash Water Fish .-

Godfish,-Man Yu

Frogs,-Tin Kal...

Oraba,-Halina

Pork Chop,-Chu Pai Kwat ... , 25

Loin,-Chu Han Tun

Leg. -Cha Pel...

Sheep's Head and Feet,-Young

-Ngan Mel --- "

tan-kenk sat \$1.00

Leg. - Yenng Pel ... 3

Shoulder,-Yeung Shan .. 28

Saddle, -Young On Yok ,, 33

Oorned,-Ham Ngan Yuk. ,,

Poultry. Chicken,-Kai Tra. ... 1b. Capone, Small -- Sin Kai Capone, Large, -Sin Kal Duck,-Ap 32 Dores, -Pan Kan n Eggs, Hen, -Kai Tan (cooking) per doz. 23 Eggs, Hen, -Kal Tan (fresh) ... per dos. 25 Fowls, Canton,-Kal Ib. 45 Fowls, Hainan, -Hot Nam Kal .. Se Geese,-Ngo 100 25 Pigeona, Canton, -- Pak Kap. Leach 45 Holhow, -Hoi Hau Pak Kap Tongue, corned, -Ham Ngan Li each 85 cents. Turkeys, Cock,-Fo Kai Kung Ib. 80 Turkeys, Hen,-Fo Kai Na 60 Snipe,-Sha Tsui... each Phessant, -Shan Kal Quail,-Om Chan Partridges,-Che Ku

> Fruits. Almonds,-Hang Yan lb. 45 Apples, (California).-Kam Shan Ping Ke ,, 42 Bananas, (bride's), Macao, San Heong Chin .. 5 Carambola - Yenng To Coccanuta, -Ye Tre each 10 Lemons, China, "Ling Mung... Ib. 8 Lemons, (America), -Bam Shan Ling Mung ... each 6 Lichees, Dried, (small stone),-Lai Chi Kon Ib. 22 Oranges, (Canton), Sweet-Shan-sheng Tim Chang lb. Oranges, Tim Chang ... Pears, (Canton), Cooking, -Sha Li , 8 Peanuts,-Fa Shang 13 Persimmons, Large,-Hang Tse .. Plantain,-Tai Chiu 3 Pamelo, Siam,-Trim Lo Yau ...esch 15 Wainuta,-Hop To ib. 14 Grapes,-Po Tai Taz Vegetables, &c.

Artichokes, -Ah Chi Chenk ... eact Beans, Sprout,-Nga Tao... I. Ib " Long,-Tau Kok ... " Best Root, - Hang Taci Tan ... , 2 each Bitter Squash,-Fu Kwa 3 Brinjals, Green,-Ching Yon Kwa .. 5 Red,-Hang Kee ... ,, Cabbage Chinese, (common), -Kai Taol , 8 .. (Shanghai)-Ye Tsoi ... , 15 Cane Shoots, banch, -Kan Shun .. 8 Cauliflower (Lurge), -Ye Tsoi Fa each (Mediam), (Small), Carrots,- Kam Shum Ib. 6 Celery Chinese, -Tong Kan Tsoi ., 12 Chillies, Dried,-Kon Lat Chin .. 22

.. Red,-Hong Fa Chin ... , 5 ., Green,-Ching Lat Ohin .. 5 Curry Stoff, English,-Ka Li Chu Liu Cucumbers, - Ching Kwa... ... each 2 Garlie,-Sun Tau Ginger young, -Son Tee Keung .. Ginger, old, -Lo Kenng Horsersdish, Shanghai,-Lik Kan ,, 5 Indian Corn,-Shuk Mai sech 6 Lettuce, -Yeung Shang Tsol ... ib. 10

Water Chestmats, -- Ma Tai ... lb. 8

Mandarin, -Kwal

Lam Ma Tal ... , 16 Mashrooms, Fresh,-Shang Tso Ku lb. 45 Onions. Bombay, - Young Chang Tau lh. & Onlors, Green,-Shang Chung Ib. 5 Onlone, Shanghal, Shoung-bol Paraley,-Kun Tsof Potato, Sweet,-Fan Sha Japanese, -- Yat Fun Shu Tail lb. . American, Fa Ki Shu Tani Ib. Pumpkin,-Tung Kwa Ib, Radish,—Hung Lo Pak Tsai ... , Rhuberb (Fresh),—Tai Wong ... , Shallots, -Kong Chong Tan Spinach, -Yin Teol Tomatoes ... Fan Ke ... Taron-Wa Tac ... Turnips, Panti, (Long), -Lo Pak ...

Vegetable Marrow,-Int Kwa...

.. Idly root,-Lin Ngau...

Water Oress, -Sal Young Tagi...

Yams,-Ts Shu

it has also opened a line to Saigon and Bangkok, from Osaka-Kobs as 3,125,000 starting point via Moji, Nagasaki, Amoy, Swatow, and either Hongkong or Canton, touching at Keelung on the homeward run. The "Fukuimaru III," and the "Anshin-maru will operate the new trade, the former having already started for its destination.

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PILFERAGE ON HOLT LINER.

HEAVY PINES ON SHIP'S CREW.

Disgraceful disclosures of pilferings AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO | decided to raise them from 20 to 30 | by a ship's crew were made at the East Ham Police Court, when fines. amounting to £161, were imposed on bench were asked to deal severely twelve members of the steamship 'Tespkai," of the Blue Funnel Line (Alfred Holt and Co.), that had just

> All the accused pleaded not guilty. They were Boatswain T. M'Kinley. Quarter-masters L. Richardson, G. A. R. Powell, and L. Bates; Carpenter J. Killeen, and Lamotrimmer H. Cade, who were fined £15 and £6 costs each or sixty-one days. Able-seamen L. Todd, G. Hill, J. T. Bridson, P. Breen, and J. Westlake were fined £12 and £2 costs each or vixty-one days; and Ordinary-seaman R. H. M'Donald, who was bound over and had to pay £2 costs.

The prosecutions formed a sequel

when Able-seaman J. W. Bellis was sent to prison for three months for stealing jewellery worth nearly £200 from ad Arab pilgrim passenger.

A representative of Alfred Holt and Co. stated that following the complaint of this theft all the crew's luggage was searched, and ship's property was found among it. Altogether £900 worth of goods had been pilfered during the voyage, while the ship's strong room had been burst open and a valuable case of clocks taken.

As all the accused were earning good wages as well as bonuses under

The Stipendiary, in imposing the returned from a ten months' voyage fines, said that pillering had been going on to such an extent that in future men convicted would be shown the utmost rigour of the law. He thought it very disgraceful that a boatswain earning such good wages should stoop to piliering.

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HIMGEORG, WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 1921.

OUR SCHOOLS.

extion for the year 1920, even if you and it is gratifying to read that we are not especially interested in educa- have turned out so many. If we get tion, has some interesting bits in it. 20 working teachers out of the 26 Mr. E. Irving, the Director, Las now students now training at the Uncompleted his twentieth year in this liversity we shall do well. We rather Department, and in his report for expect a little controversy to arise out Last year permits himself a brief of the Director's observations on the of Major Gore Anderson, H. M. Trade Thousand dollars greater than in teachers and pupils are so well re- years ago to Kennedy & Co., says, "to higher rates of salary." whom, it should not be overlooked, Anthonys, of Penang, the firm con-But those higher salaries were paid school athletics represent extra and sisting of Mr. J. M. Anthony, Mr. to only 58 per cent. of the British gratuitous work, that we would not Stephen Anthony and Mr. A. staff, as it was "five men and sixteen | be at all surprised to find our Director | Gore Anderson. Some time ago women short "-of the estimated accused of erecting a turnip boggle- Major Gore Anderson met with an fifty! Such statistics ought to be Unless there are signs of school work accident, causing injury to his leg, Alexanimous indeed, in a case where we suffering by reason of the attention which never got quite right, and he that our teachers were underpaid and sarily indicated by the phrase about failure. our schools understaffed. If 29 losing "prestige in comparison," it teachers did the work of 50, we can was unnecessary and perhaps not understand why \$189,848 more should be paid, or "mainly" paid, in salaries. Apparently, on the figures given, it costs between \$15 and \$16 per annum to educate a Hongkong child, which may be considered cheap enough. One gets the impression from the report that the vernacular misdir cted effort, are if the Government plain English good education, or facilities for it, to all. applicants, our money might be better spent than are these grants and subsidies. Probably there are

smore people speaking Chinese to-day

Shan were ever taught to do so in

British schools. But that is an issue to have been raised, and is certainly not suggested in this report. regards education in English, the Director says that on the whole he is satisfied that there is not room for any startling change in method or curriculum. The Department is pursuing a most praiseworthy policy in The report of the Director of Edu- training local material as teachers, 1919. "mainly due," the Director cognized, especially by masters, to Penang, and afterwards joined the quite fair to moot the point.

KINEMA NOTES.

HONGKONG THEATRE.

delightful comedy-drama will After Pive," an admirable picture founded on the play by Wm, and Cecil de Mille. Included in the programme will be the usual acrees able comedy.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Special reductions in cotton voiles Powell, Ltd.'s advertisement.

A quantity of household furniture steamer "Mentor." and sundries will be sold by Messrs. Hughes and Hough to-morrow.

Archbishop Maunix of Melbourne passed through the Colony on the N.Y.K. steamer "Nikko Maru," which left for Australia yesterday.

The Swastika is still selling. Brewer & Co., report that they sold out and had difficulty in getting new

supplies. That difficulty has been met. A number went to Canton. and if unsold there will be available for local requirements. Meanwhile we have a few odd copies of " returns to fill immediate orders. It is not proposed to reprint.

Mr. William McLeish, of Harrington-gardens, South Kensington, left College in Tientsin, and after the General Officer Commanding. college was destroyed in the Boxer outbreak conducted the Peking and Tientsin Times.

A marriage has been arranged Mr. Victor H. Jones, 14th (King's) son the proposal was agreed to. Hussars, second son of Mr. H. D. C. Jones. Hongkong and Shanghai Bank. London, and Mrs. Jones. of 7. Hanover Terrace, Regents, Park, N.W., and Emily C. (Milly), the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thomson, of Heathside, Wimbledon Common, formerly of Java.

The Admiralty have ordered the title of the Naval Agent at Shanghai to be altered to that of "Resident Naval Officer, Shanghai." The post is held by an officer of the accountant branch, at present Paymaster-Commander H. A. D. J. Gyles, R. N., who was appointed on September 1, 1919. The change is in accordance with the custom at other ports, such as Singa- market. pore, where Paymaster-Lieutenant-Commander A. F. B. Livesay is the Resident Naval Officer.

Quite near to the Marble Arch is the House of the Rising Sun, grees to those who want new effects violinist may be heard at Kowloon in entertaining. From the House little later on. of the Rising Sun you can have anything from Japanese dwarf trees to and decorations, with geisha girls to dance and play.

The design of the coal and oil supply ship of 20,000 tons, for fueling | xious to take the lead. the various units of the Japanese of high policy, which does not appear Navy, was worked out by the New accordance with the requirements laid down by the Imperial Japanese Naval Commission. The waterline length will be 496 ft., with a beam of 67 ft. The vessel will be electrically driven, and will have twin screws with a total of 7,500-h.p., which will give the ship loaded a speed of 15 knots. She will be constructed with both oil and coal bunkers, and a special feature will be the installation f an anti-torpedo-boat battery.

Straits papers record the death

that drastic economy and retrenchment will be essential and that the majority of public works must stop. The estimates of revenues for the next financial year have not been framed, but it is roughly estimated From to-morrow until Friday a that the revenue will amount to Re. be 65,000,000. The estimates of exscreened at the Hongkong Theatre, penditure for the year 1921-22 have of the Colony.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Lieut.-Commander and Mrs. C. are announced in Messrs. Wm. P. Satow, Captain R. Burton, and Lieut. J. N. Bond, R.N., were passengers who sailed by the Blue Funnel

> A Jumble Sale will be held at the City Hall on Friday, July 22, at 3 p.m. The Benevolent Society will be glad to receive contributions for the sale at Helena May Institute.

A combined meeting of members of the Marine Engineers' Guild of From January to June this year China and the China Coast Officers' 112,552 Chinese immigrants arrived Guild is advertised for 5.45 pm. on in the Straits Settlements and 46,583 Friday, July 22 in the Guilds' Offices.

> A new crew will shortly be despatched to the light cruiser "Cairo, China Station, where that cruiser is long overdue for recommissioning. Kwangsi troops will be totally wiped her two years having expired three months ago.

No soldier can be placed under

25.754. He was at one time a well- stoppage of pay for a private debt, known Rugby football player and a and therefore persons who suffer Master at Dulwich College. In 1886 soldiers to contract debts do so at he became an instructor of nantical their own risk, states an advertiseastronomy at the Imperial Naval ment inserted in this issue by the

Amongst other matters considered at yesterday afternoon's meeting of the Sanitary Board Committee was a suggested re-arrangement of the sections in Mount Caroline cemetery. and will shortly take place, between On the motion of Mr Chow Shou-

able bodied to gaoL

Those silk firms in Fatshan which have large stocks of silk left over from last year are making enormous profits as a result of the present high prices paid for silk goods, and it is reported that many of the small silk firms in Fatshan have already made more than \$20. 000 since the opening of the silk

We are asked to say that, in the absence of any telegraphic information . as -- to Mr. Mischa Elman's movements, the management of the Kowloon Theatre have reluctantly been compelled to cancel the arpresided over by Koto Yana, who rangements for the concert to supplies Orientalism in varying de- day. It is hoped that the great

decorate your table to a full-blown mand for a uniform 40 per cent. material reduction can be made ten-course dinner or supper of Japan- increase of wages having been re- from the present basis. In the first ese food cooked and served in the ceived from the contractors, the local place the prices of most lots recently painters have decided to appeal to placed have actually been calculated the Secretary for Chinese Affairs. on lower wages in the weaving section follow if other contractors concede paratively slight. It would also seem

York Shipbuilding Corporation in pany which operates between that opinion has been steadily moving Shaukiwan Mr. Dennys appeared at the Police Court this morning before Magistrata Lindsell to prosecute two Chinese who were charged with demanding money with threats from a ticket collector. The case was remanded, the accused, who were represented who have obtained their share of effected the arrest of both men said ed subsequently before the local by Mr Watson, being released on sureties of \$500 each.

Nearly 200 naval ratings from Shanghai, Hongkong, and Singapore arrived at Plymouth on May 25 by the "Khyber." They were landed by Government launches and included many invalids from the China Station. comparison of general development apparently excessive attention paid Commissioner for Malaya, which took The voyage home in the "Khyber" was an that period. Most of the text is to the "realm of sport," he fearing place at the General Hospital, Singa- of the most pleasant description, the reproduced, so that we need only call that "ordinary school work may lose pore, shortly after one o'clock on the weather being remarkably fine. A attention to one or two points. The prestige in comparison." The benefits afternoon of July 8. Major Gore series of concerts was given by the expenditure was nearly two hundred of extra-mural association between Anderson came out about twenty bluejackets, who, with characteristic cordiality, invited the other passengers to share in their entertainments.

Captain Pouler, the famous French aviator, who is staying at the Europe Hotel, Singapore, had 4,000 guilders, 800 francs and £35 stolen from him on July 5. The money was given to be changed at the money-There been urging (in that same year) paid to games, and that is not neces- died in hospital as stated, from heart tain Poulet was told by two Tamil as tes money but the constable of action on the occasion of his changing stall in the hotel, and Capboys in charge of the stall, to return refused it and took him off to the of esteem on the occasion of his "Magnelia," China Squadron, will for it. When he called to collect the Police station. On the way the de- leaving the Colony to return to his shortly change hands, as Commander money, he found that the Tamil boys The state of Ceylon's finances had disappeared. The money changer, shew that deficit of over 19 million however refunded the money. The rupees is expected for the year ended police were informed of the matter, September 30. It is pointed out and one of the boys, who had made arrangements to leave for India by the as. "Tara" was arrested. The other boy is still at large.

> BLAZON TYPE NOT NECESSARY. MEAMBERLAIN'S Colic and Diarrhtea Remony needs no glaring headnot yet been settled, but it is almost simple statement that all chemists self Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhora certain that & sum considerably in it is sufficient, as every family knows excess of the estimated revenue will its value. It has been used for furty. magazine and an extremely laugh- be required for the ordinary services For sale by all Chambin and Store-

THE KWANGS WAR

LIMCHOW CAPTURED.

"HEMMED IN ON ALL SIDES."

According to a report made by the military headquarters yesterday, Limchow in the southern part of Kwangtung, which was taken by the Kwangsi invaders during the first stages of the war, has now been recaptured, and the enemy troops have been driven back across the border. reports the Canton Times. "Since their military base in Teng Yuen behind the lines was captured by the troops of Gen. Ngai Bong-ping last week, they are now being hemmed in on all sides. It is only a question of time when all these defeated

a telegram to Canton the Kwangsi general stationed at Liu-The Hongkong Automobile Asso- chow declares that city independent ciation advertises that the Committee of Warlord Lu Yung-ting. However, have arranged for a club room for little faith in placed in this declarathe use of members in the Hongkong tion, and as soon as the Cantonese Club Annex Buildings on the ground troops arrive within firing distance floor next to the Jockey Club offices. of Liu-chow the Kwangsi troops will have either to surrender the city or suicide. fight the Cantonese troops.

HOME TRADE.

MANCHESTER MARKET.

LATEST WEEKLY REPORT.

The cotton markets remain very consumption for May to have been untrue. 422,000 Bales against 409,000 last month and 541,000 for May last year. Crop News as usual is very variable but in addition to the comparatively poor start which has been made fears are widely entertained of boll weevil damage which is stated to be fairly widespread. A rather more cheerful view is taken here of the labour outlook. Concessions in both the coal and cotton stoppages hinges from his ricksha. have now narrowed down the points at issue very considerably and it is confidently hoped that work in both these important industries will be recommenced at a very early date. Trading in yarn and cloth is restricted however, although a very fair enquiry is still met with from many markets. For the time being buyers appear to be divided as to the

No satisfactory reply to their de- but it is difficult to see how any Most of the contractors have replied at least, and secondly the actual savindividually that they are prepared to ing in working costs can only be comof confidence in present values, for it On behalf of the Ferrry Com. has already become very apparent Hunghom in that direction owing to the continued firmness we have now had for almost three months. During that time prices have stood practically unchanged with an upward tendency and it frequently happens that buyers. Reports from China continue to im- longed to a party of about 300 who prove and business has been done were taken to Canton by the "Taito both for that and the India markets Maru" to unload a cargo of coal. of a limited nature. Singapore, Java. The vessel returned to Hongkong and the Near East have also, bought

70 CENT BID FOR FREEDOM.

A Chinese hawker was called upon at the Police Court before Magistrate | \$45 or three weeks' imprisonment. Lindsell this morning to explain why he had neglected to provide himself about the excuse offered by who arrested him for his neglect. It was related to the Bench that the man offered the lukong 70 cents fendant continually pressed e astable to accept the money and take charge of the money.

A previous offence had been recorded against the defendant and he was ordered to pay fines totalling \$21 or else spend 24 days in juil.

CRAMP COLIC,

the stomach or intentinal pains. Remedy never fails to relieve the most be no time to send for it after the attack comes our For sale by all Chemista and Storekrapers.

TO-DAYS LITTLE TRAGEDIES.

ACCIDENTAL AND OTHERWISE.

REPORTED TO THE POLICE.

After attempting to cut her throat with a razor the wife of a Chinese constable was removed to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment yesterday. The woman had been in a state of despondency ever since the death of her daughter a short

A small Chinese girl employed as a servant in Pokfulam Road fell distance of 30 feet into the backward of the house vesterday afternoon, sustaining injuries to her face and probably other internal injuries as

Another young Chinese woman residing in Wuhu Street jumped from a first floor window on to the concrete lane at the back of her house. She fell a distance of 25 feet and injured herself severely internally.

Wong Lin, an unemployed coolic of Shin Hing, was arrested at Yaumat on a charge of affempting to commi A " male child, 13 years, unemploy-

ed, no fixed abode" accidentally fell yesterday from a truck lying near the wall of the Woping Theatre and fractured his left arm. Fifteen Chinese male deportees

left the Colony yesterday for Carton by the s.s. "Hoi Sang" and 4 were sent to Kong Mun. Three deportees were sent to Hoihow and one to Pakhoi.

The theft of \$170 worth of jewellery Messrs. James F. Hutton & Co., and 351 in money was notified by Ltd., Manchester, reported on June Lau Kwai Chu, a compradore residing in Stanton Street.

Ho Kwong, residing in Macdonnel The Kuala Lumpur police quiet, with spot sales still very limit- Road reported that just before mid-have hit on a novel method of dealing ed. Prices have however been Road reported that just before midwith the vagrants who are fast be steadier and owing, it would seem, to night on July 18 a he saw a European coming a pest in the streets. A the decline in sterling exchange on standing in the shrubbery outside motor lorry is sent round and these the United States, quotations have his house. Questioned, the man vagrants collected, the sick or stary- continued to advance in Liverpool. explained that he was there under ing being sent to hospital and the The National Ginners' Association instructions of a police sub-inspector estimate the United States Mills' but later inquiries showed this to be

> Carpenters tools valued at about \$20 were stolen yesterday by some persons who entered the R.E. workshop at Whitfield Barracks. It is thought that a duplicate key was

According to a report furnished by Mr. D. Kotewell of Ice House Street somebody removed a pair of brass

CIGARETTE SMUGGLERS

BATCH OF OFFENDERS. EXCUSES OLD AND NEW.

effect of the fall in wages on the their appearance before Magistrate body wants money. On every hand cost of the finished article, Lindsell in the Police Court this are people asking for tips. Dear but it is difficult to see how any morning to answer charges of having friend, can you let me have £10? morning to answer charges of having had in their possession cigarettes, and, in one instance, bottles of brandy upon which duty had not been paid. One man who had been caught with 3,000 cigarettes in his possession offered the time-honoured excuse that | who apparently concealed her own another man who owned the cigarettes

the demands but none appears and that a settlement of this question will had engaged him to carry them ashore speedily lead to the re-establishment from a boat. The owner he explained, was walking immediately in front of him and ran away when the police appeared. A fine of \$90 was imposed.

vesterday morning and the men were caught carrying the tobacco ashore. smuggled cigarettes in his possession

HAWKER'S HUSH MONEY. was given the alternative of paying \$12 or going to jail for ten days and a traveller from Kong Moon by the s.s. " Tai Lee :" who had 1040 cigarettes hidden in the false bottom of an imitation leather trunk was fined There was a smack of origi ality

with a licence and further why he fifth defendant charged in respect of had attempted to bribe the lukong the possession of 1100 cigarettes but it failed to impress the Court. He explained that they had been present-

eventually the constable, because of as being envious of the man's good months. the man's importunings, decided to fortune and asked where those generous friends of his were. The defendant answered that they were in the tobacco business at the Central Market. The cigarettes were apparently of no use to them he said, and so they had made him a present of them to smoke. The Magistrate fined him whether his steamer could arrive here

Two Chinese who were arrested 10 seed of soffering from cramps in on the Yaumati ferry wharf with seven bottles of "Star" brandy each in their possession were both covere cases. Get it to-day, there will fined \$120 with aix weeks jail in Chamberlain's Tab'ets. Try it the next default. Both explained that they had been hired to carry the liquor.

WORLD LANGUAGE.

ENGLISH PROPOSED.

BELGIAN SOCIETY'S AIM.

A society had been formed in Belgium, savs the Brussels correspondent of the Central News, to secure the adoption of English as the mode of expression in Belgium.

Three languages are spoken in Belgium, namely, French, Flemish, and German. They are, say the promoters of this movement, all imported tongues: there is no such thing as a Belgian language. Likewise, the netual spoken language in the threeabove-named main divisions resolves itself, so far as Belgium is concerned; into dozens and scores of different dialects that differ as widely from English as, say Piedmontese differs from Calabrian Italian, or Jersey French from Gascony French.

A ONE-LANGUAGE COUNTRY. National unity, say the officials at the Society of "English-speaking Belgium," demands a national unit of expression. There is a goodly mixture of both Germanic and Latin in the English tongue, they point out, and the Belgians have a bit of both in their racial blood, so that they should take kindly to the acquisition of the English language. While these reformers would not destroy any of the existing idioms, they would aim at having Belgium, broadly-speaking. a one-language country in official and commercial senses.

They point to the facts that Eng. lish is going to be the world language; that it is spoken by two hundred milions already, and is the administrative language of three hundred and fifteen millions more. The claim is also put forward that the study of English is a comparatively small matter for Belgians, whose adopted languages of to-day, French and Flemish, are based on the same Latin and Teutonic foundations as the Saxon and Norman branches of the

English tongue. This English language propaganda movement of Belgium is backed by number of State Ministers and other influential men.

TIPS IN HEAVEN!

A VOICE FROM THE TOMB:

RUSE AND COUNTER RUSE.

The voice of an importunate from beyond the tomb has been silenced by the generosity of a Paris widow. Since the death of her husband, saysa Press correspondent, she had daily gone to visit his grave in Pere Lachaise Cemetery. One day she was terrified to hear his voice calling to her. "Up here," said the voice, "it A batch of Chinese smugglers made is the same as upon the earth, every-

The woman had no money with her, but overcame her fear and promised to bring some, and the voice replied, "Thank you." She returned home and repeated the amazing conversation to a neighbour suspicions and advised her-to take the required sum to the cemetery. Two days afterwards the widow piously laid a purse containing five 100f. notes upon the husband's grave and retired. A little while later a-The next defendant who was charg- the next tombstone, emptied the ed with smuggling 10,000 cigarettes purse, and was about to steal away had a similar explanation to offer when the arm of the law descended but the Magistrate proved equally upon him. It was then discovered incredulous and imposed a fine of that the owner of the voice was the find rates advanced by producers \$170. The Revenue Officer who widow's own nephew, and he appearthe business that has been passing. that they were coal voolies and be- magistrate. While the case against him was proceeding, his young wife appeared with a baby in her arms, and threw herself at the widow's feet. His would-be victim forgave him and withdrew her complaint, and the owner of the voice from beyond the tomb went home duly promising Another Chinese caught with 360 that it would never be heard again

GOLF.

BOGEY POOL COMPETITION.

Bogey Pool Competition played over the Relief Course at Fanling during last week-end was won by Mr. E. J. R. Mitchell (4) who returned:a card of 4 up.

· A clean bill of health wasreturned for the Colony yesterday.

The command of the sloop Basil R. Brooke, D.S.O. will complete The Magistrate confessed himself two years in the course of a few

> Mr. Mischa Elman, the famous violinist arrived here this morning from Singapore by the K.P.M. s.s. "yan Cloon." Mr Elman had intended giving a concert in the Kowloon Theatre to-night but had unavoidably to cancel it as it was at first doubtful

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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

DAVIS CUP.

INDIA WINS RUBBER AGAINST FRANCE.

PARIS, July 19.

India has won the rubber in the Davis Cup eliminating marches against, France, Sleem defeating Samazeuilh 6-1, 6-3, 6-3.

JAPAN'S CHANCES.

LATER. The Deane and Brugnon match in Paris was an exhibition of singles as India has pready won the tie. The fifth match should have been Jacob versus Laurentz. Experts praise the genius of Jacobs in the captaincy. He is entitled to as much credit as anyone for India's no' anticipated victory, which has placed in the semi-final nund. The team have now to go to America to meet the winners of Japan and Belgium tie which it is confidently expected will be Japan who is replying upon Kumagæ and Shimidzu both for singles and doubles. Shimidzu's recent play in England demonstrated that he has advanced his form since Wimbledon in 1920. His serice has not altered but few players can score off it. He is hitting larder off the ground and frequently makes brilliant winners forchad and backhand while his volleying has become first rate, especially overead where he kills tosses with a deadly precision. Japan should reath to final and to-day she is favoured as challenger.

POLISH INSURGENT LEADER IN PARIS.

PARIS, July 19. Korfant leader of the Polish insurgents in Upper Silesia, has arrived here. Interswed, he declared that the Germans would submit unresistingly if the Allies'-mly enforced their decisions. Date of the meeting of the Supreme Could to settle the question of Upper Silesia is still unfixed. BERLIN, July 19.

The Italian mbassador has called the attention of the German Government to the coentration of troops on the frontier of Upper Silesia and requested it to ohibit German forces from going into Silesia.

CARPENTIER'S NIXT FIGHT

NEW YORK, July 19. The GibbcCarpentier bout will be in the arena at Jersey City or capture of the main Turkish railway lines. Maddison SquaGardens. The weights maximum is twelve stone seven.

HOME CRICKET.

LONDON, July 19.

FOUND WITH FIREARMS.

CHINESE TRAVELLER FINED.

with a brand new revolver and 150

rounds of ammunition in his posses-

Court this morning and invited to

He said that he had been away

should be confiscated pending produc-

tion by the defendant of a permit

from the Canton Government for

STOWAWAYS FROM

SINGAPORE.

CHINESE TRIO SENTENCED.

Three weeks' jail was the sentence

Notts won light wickets, Yorkshire by nine wickets, E sex by 128 runs. Surrey by runs, Hants in the first innings, and Lancashire in the first innings.

THEATEROYAL

BANDMANERA CO.

"AFGAR" NIGHT.

Last night's Pration by the Bandman Opera Cony of "Algar," sion a Chinese was brought before that immensely lar London. Magistrate Lindsell at the Police success, was rema, in several respects. In the first the Theatre give an explanation. Royal was crowdede last seat was occupied, a thit seen here from the Colony for some time and since Mischa Elmaisit. Then was now passing through to Canton there was the deligimpression and Inspector Fallon, who brought created by the sparlnusic, the the charge against the defendant, clever plot, and they lines. expressed the opinion that the man And the applause thusiasm was actually a bona fide traveller. of the audience, lat mingled The Magistrate imposed a fine of with clapping, was shous and \$50 and directed that the revolver prolonged, a generouste to a fine performance. Nony also were the striking costule effective settings, and reellent orchestral work, all of whanced the pleasure afforded many grateful dances, the a con-

tretemps, and the admitging.

Miss Madeline Rosallying Alice Delysia's famous Pidee, the leader of the rebellrem, acted, sang, and danced 'racteristic ability, giving stful imposed upon three Chinese who rendition of Alice Delysia ing were proved before Magistrate Orme little song "You'd be q" at the Police Court to-day to have This item in particular sheed stowed away on board the as. Van 'so 'well that none nt Cloon" at Singapore. was surprised when insign Evidence tendered by the second mands for an encore were officer of the vessel disclosed that all passengers were searched before the the delighted audience. Masters was excellent as D ship left Singapore and their tickets junior, his singing of the collected. The stowaways were not Prisoner's song "Give the I discovered until after the search and Prisoner's song "Give the had evidently been hiding away in Due," being but one of m the life boats.

mirable contributions. funny as Afgar, the potentab of the harem, Mr. Jack Crichtquire to Don Juan, junior, and was of the harem, Mr. Jack Unchtime to Don Juan, junior, and was a part worthy of his original pundly applauded. A special triwit. His quaint antics and note should be paid to the other local gags were responsible for embers of the company, all of local gags were responsible for som worked hard to effect the combangle. Miss Dora Dolaro from worked hard to effect the combangle.

haughter. Miss Dora Dolaro more worked hard to effect the comcharming Isilda, while Miss te success achieved.

Charming Isilda, while Miss to encelle the Company will play
Barry and Miss Dolly Prince to night the Company will play
excellent as rebellious wives ene."

Of the part of Concourli, the kniety night, the Company will play
of the part of Concourli, the kniety night of the Mountains."

CABLES. TO-DAY'S

(Reuter's Service to the China Meil.)

IRISH PEACE PROSPECTS.

NEWSPAPERS GLOOMY WITHOUT REASON.

"SITUATION QUITE UNCHANGED."

LONDON, July 19.

In contrast with the early optimism, the papers to-day are somewhat gloomy regarding the prospects of Irish settlement, but the fact is that the situation is quite unchanged. A very remarkable feature is the extraordinary reserve maintained both by the Sinn Felners and the Government in disclosing nothing regarding the course of negotiations. The reason why conversations between Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. De Valera have been adjourned until July 21 is simply due to the fact that the Premier is fully engaged to-day and to-morrow with the Dominions premiers. Mr. Meighen departs for Canada on July 21 and it is imperative that certain matters in connection with the conference be finally settled before then. SEEKING BASIS FOR A CONFERENCE.

LONDON, July 19.

Sir James Craig and his Ulster colleagues have returned to Belfast eczema, eruptions, etc. in four weeks. where it is not expected that he will return to London till the preliminaries have been settled and a scheme for a conference formulated. This is regarded as indicating that there will be no further indirect negotiations "SRI" WORKS, Beadon Square, between Mr. De Valera and Sir James Craig.

Mr. Desmond Fitzgerald, chief of Sinn Fein propaganda who was recently released from interpment, interviewed in London said that there had been no conference yet. The conversations at Downing Street had been directed to discovering the basis of a conference which in the Sinn Feln view must be that Ireland as an independent nation must have an agreement with the British Government. The only comment he had to make on Sir James Craig's statement was that Sir James Craig was in the same position as the Southern Americans in 1861.

DEMAND FOR INDEPENDENCE.

LONDON, July 20. Mr. De Valera in a statement declares that Ireland demands the right to choose freely how she shall be governed, namely independence. She only requests freedom from British agression and interference. Mr. Desmond Fitzgerald's official statement amplifies this as meaning to claim that the Irish nation is for President Wilson's Fourteen Points with the right of small nations to self-determination. He says: "The Ulster Cabinet represents a very small minority of the Irish people who we claim have been systematically, wilfully and fundamentally misled by the foreign power England," Consequently, the Morning Post points out that the Southerners are refusing the Northerners the right the former are claiming from England, namely self-determination.

GREEKS CAPTURE TOWN.

SCENES OF FRANTIC ENTHUSIASM IN ATHENS.

TURKISH RAILWAY LINES ENDANGERED.

ATHENS, July 19.

The official announcement that the Greeks have captured Kutahia has caused scenes of frantic enthusiasm. The streets are beflagged and are paraded by crowds acclaiming the King and the Army. The Te Deum was celebrated at the Cathedral. The newspapers declare that several thousand prisoners and immense booty were captured. They emphasise the political and strategical importance of Kutahia whose fall is likely to lead to speedy

COMMITTEE TO REPORT TO IMPERIAL CONFERENCE.

LONDON, July 19.

The Air Ministry announces that the committee on imperial air communications will consist of Lord Gorell, the new Under-Secretary of the Air Ministry, Air Marshal Trenchard, Major-General Sir F. H. Sykes, Controller General of Civil Aviation, representatives of the Treasury and the Colonial Office, Sir Ross Smith, Colonel Mentz, and representatives of Canada and India. The committee will report to the Imperial Conference before it ends. It is in intended then to invite the Dominions to state the conditions on which they will make contribution and the amount probable. The British Arrested on one of the river boat Government after that will decide whether or not to ask Parliament to wharves along the Praya yesterday grant a subscription.

COTTON SPINNING MILLS.

INCREASED WORKING HOURS IN EGYPTIAN SECTION.

LONDON, July 19. The Egyptian section of the Lancashire cotton spinning mills has in creased the hours from 35 to 48 weekly.

TO-DAY'S NEW ADVERTISEMENT.

TO-DAY'S RECIPE

BATAFTA ICE CREAM.

Mothod. - Dissolvo 2 oz. of gelatine in contents of 111 oz. tin of NESTLE'S Pure Rich Cream. Then boil 11 pints milk, and while boiling stir it into the gelatine, and work in 4 oz. of castor sugar and essence of ratalia to taste. Mix all well together, turn it into a mould, and freeze as usual. Turn out and serve with rateflas.

Obtainable at Lane, Crowford & Co., and other Stores.

TWO SIZES:

TO-DAY'S -ADVERTISEMENTS.

MARINE ENGINEERS GUILD OF CHINA.

CHINA COAST OFFICERS GUILD

COMBINED MEETING of Members of both Guilds will be held at the Guilda' Offices, on FhIDAY, July 22, 1921, at 5.45 P.M. All Members in Port should make a

point of being present. W. J. STOKES and W. E. KIRBY, Branch Secretaries.

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Hangkong, July 20, 1921.

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chairs, sideboard with bevelled mirror, dinner waggon, glass cabinet, Brass mounted fender and fire brasses. Teak wardrobes with bevelled glass doors, dressing tables with bevelled mirrors, marble top washstands,

One Cottage piano by "Collard and Collard"

Leather covered armchairs, etc.

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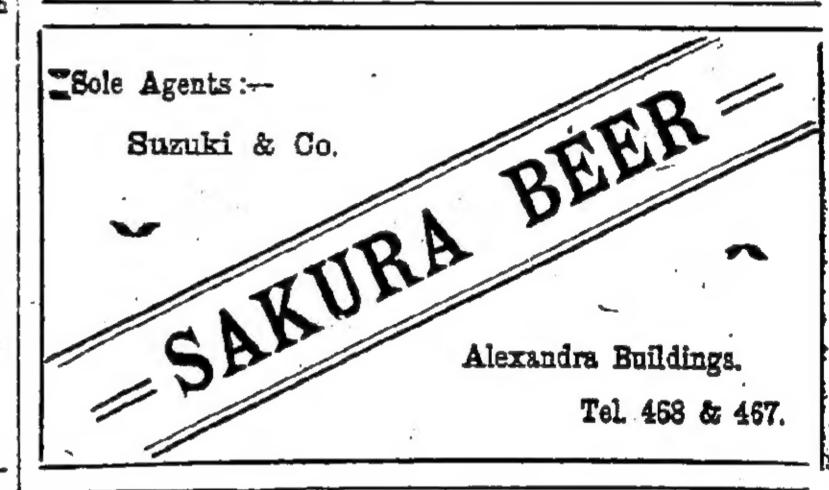
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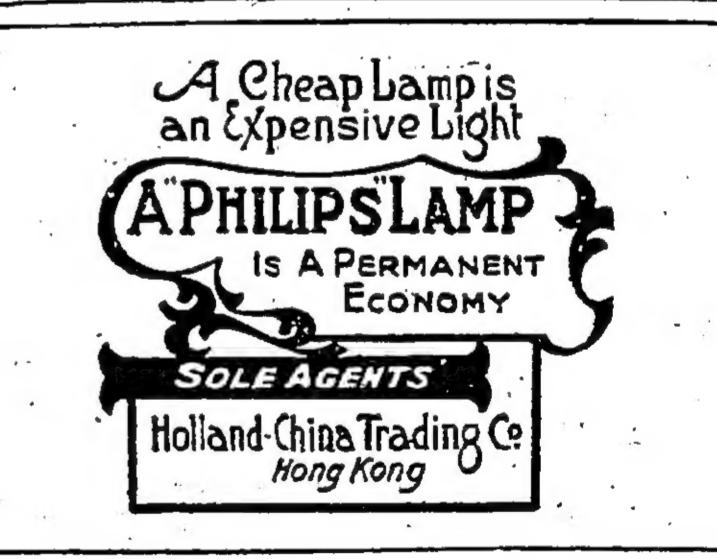
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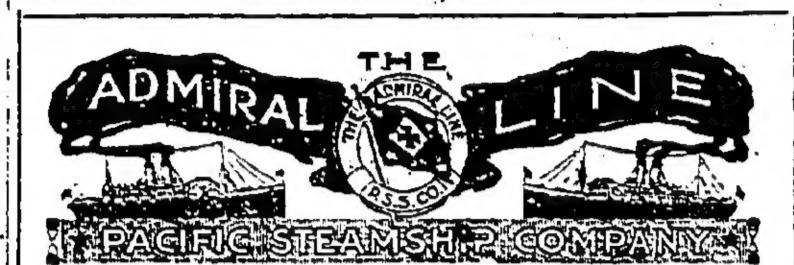
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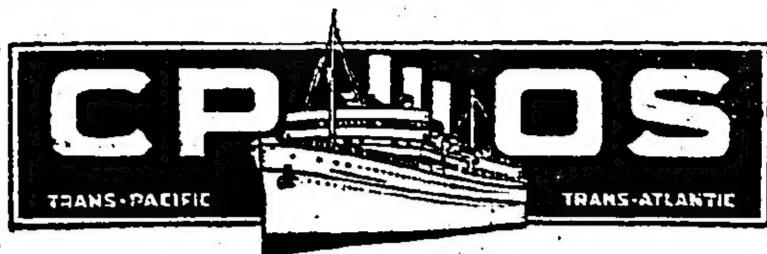
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For man's illusion given,"

"And I said unto him, "I have had the advantage of a Colledge Education. And among the things that I learned in colledge was a song, which

The Elephant now walks round, The Band begins to play; The boys before the Monkeys' cage

Had better keep away. For the Elephant now walks round." "And thus did the song proceed, forever citing the Fact itself as the Explanation of the Fact. That is the philosophy of the Ding an Sich, which

meaneth, the Thing-in-Itself." "'And he said, 'That is a Fool Song, and is hardly worth four years of Colledge."

THE THING-IN-ITSELF.

"And I said, 'Consider the Ding an Sich, the Elephant. He is the Thesis. He is tangible, ponderable, deniable Reality. He answereth all the Categories of Kant. hold how he resolveth himself o an Antithesis, even as Hegel

He is not Statick. He walketh Hegelian Synthesis. And he is Dead Right." t unrelated. He is preceded by the nd, and followed by Monkeys in eir Cage. That suggesteth Einstein's

But consider also the boys. nerefore should they keep away om the Cage of Monkeys? Is that corem referable to Ethicks or to asuistry or to Politickal Economy? it were not for the boys th their Peanuts and their Quarrs, the Elephant were not here, but Ethiopia. And in that event, would be the same Elephant? Is a Wild ephant in Ethiopia the same Elepht as a Tame Elephant at the same me in Jersey City or in Kalamazoo: en we answer save as we go back Plato, and discover the Ideal lephant who is before and necessary the interpretation of all Particular Elephants?

And he said, Much learning hath made thee mad. Thou and Plato and

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Hegel and Einstein and all those other old boys are a Bunch of Nuts." "And I said, "I am not so mad as those who give up the problem, or who have not the courage to think it through. Neither am I content to ex-

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and SHANGHAL

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delivery from alongside steamer or the

Company's Godown, where all cargo

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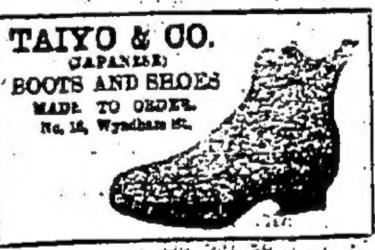
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PROPOSALS FOR INCREASING ITS EFFICIENCY.

The following report compiled by Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, Captain Superintendent of Police and Superintendent of the Fire Brigade, was laid on the table of the Legislative Council, on Monday, on the subject of the Hongkong Fire Brigade:

and the question must now be con- sent constituted. sidered whether it should not e By having all the members of the several occasions recently. of firemen.

sent system are mainly that the than that attained at highly trained have more initiative, The matter of equipment will, steadiness and initiative may mean trained in the performance of as running out and coupling up hose quence. and generally assisting the European Firemen, who hold all positions of responsibility. When the outbreak far as the personnel of the Brigade and, owing to the peculiar situation is got under they stand by and make and the equipment on land and affort of the City of Victoria and Kowloon. up the hose which again is only the lare concerned, are set forth at con- the floats are of very great service manual labour of the Brigade. Pro- siderable length. In his remarks on either in fighting the flames direct perly and regularly ordled and work- the inadequacy and umuitability of or in supplying the motor pumpe ing together under professional the Fire Brigade Headquarters, Mr. with water, thereby also saving fresh guidance, I am satisfied that they Wolfe refers to the project of the water which is a matter of importance would become thoroughly efficient new headquarters opposite the Central in the dry season. As the City and and by reason of the experience Market.

gained in working together at first, they should in time become quite ber when additional fire fighting capable of dealing successfully with apparatus is acquired. Minor changes outbreaks of fire.

One obvious drawback of the present system is the division of the lances which are on order and which Brigade into European and Chinese are now included in the Fire-Most of the European Service. It is considered that the do not speak Chinese Motor Ambulance Bervice can most and confusion is apt to arise profitably be attached to the Fire from the failure of the one to Brigade as it is in London. A Motor understand the other. In this Mechanic is also added and allowconnection it will be essential in any ance is made for an Engineer with reorganization of the Brigade that the requisite technical knowledge the Europeans in Charge should be who will be attached to the Brigade. Criticism of the personnel has been sufficiently acquainted with Chinese Further it is essential that a proper mainly directed against the perform- to make themselves understood ance of Fire Brigade duties by Police Again the control exercised over the Officers who in the ordinary course European Firemen (who are first European officer is therefore provided of their duties have plenty to do, and and foremost policemen) by the it is argued that they cannot efficient professional European Staff is not ly perform the two functions of as satisfactory as it would be were Police and Firemen. This is all the men under their entire Brigade. The Telephone Clerks will particularly so when control. The arrangements necesthere is a large crop of fires, as sary under present conditions, which has occurred during the past 6 at times place a Senior Police Officer months. It may also be said with under the orders of a junior profes equal truth that with the develop- sional fireman or even a junior Police ment of the Colony, particularly the Officer, who has become a foreman on the inadequate equipment of the City of Victoria and the Kowloon in the Brigade by reason of his out- Fire Brigade, particularly affoat, Peningula, the present arrangements standing merit, obviously lead to are likely to lead to more marked friction at times. Needless to say, existing equipment on land Mr. Wolfe inefficiency in the Brigade in the such an arrangement is avoided as grates what plant is required to deal The work of the far as possible but cannot be entirely successfully with large outbreaks of Brigade is increasing year by year eliminated in the Brigade as at pre- fire or with two or more simultaneous

EQUIPMENT ON LAND.

EQUIPMENT AFLOAT.

protected against fire.

reconstituted by eliminating the Brigade entirely under his control, Police Volunteers and substituting by giving all the members an equal therefor a purely professional Fire share in all the work of the Brigade Brigade consisting of a small number and by having the same men always of professional European firemen working together at first, the Officer affoat by any futher motor or steam with a locally trained Chinese Staff in charge should be able in time to fire floats at present. Fires on ships bring the Chinese firemen up to a in the harbour are fortunately of The arguments in favour of the pre- level of efficiency even European Police Firemen though not under the mixed Brigade system. of float is not warranted by the work are more daring and work harder and course, also enter very largely into required. The two Fire Floats are more efficiently than the average the question of the efficiency of the Chinese Fireman, particularly at the Brigade, but first and foremost commencement of operations when the personnel must be thoroughly the saving of lives and much valu- duties so that each man knows the able property. From my own per- precise nature of his particular work Dock Co., and Taikoo Dock Co. both sonal experience at fires, I must on each occasion, and all mixing up admit that the Chinese Firemen as a of sections and duties which is unwhole do not at present show either avoidable where the same men are any great initiative or any over great not always available may be entirely I recommend that an agreement be zeal in the performance of their eliminated. With firemen drawn duties. I cannot help thinking, how- from the Police, only those available, ever, that this is mainly due to i.e., off Police duty at the time of the the fact that they lack the neces- outbreak can be made use of, and sary opportunity to display the quali- they necessarily differ from day to ties required of a good fireman. At day. It is thus but rarely possible to at the time. With this addition present they do what I may call the get the same men working together coolie work of the Brigade only, such and efficiency must suffer in conse-

RECOMMENDATIONS.

Mr. Wolfe's recommendations, as is in connection with fires on land

Remarking the personnel of the Wolfe writes :-advisability of keeping both floats changes proposed consist the European Firemen instead of one only under banked further recommend that the Naval including the Assistant Superintendent and substituting therefor Chintese Firemen, with three professional
European Firemen in charge instead

fires in future and providing a
full crew for the No. 2 float has been required, particularly at fires on board ships. Their general training of 2 as at present. It is proposed recommended for both. One float and familiarity with ships make of 2 as at present. It is proposed to retain the European Firemen would then do duty in Hongkong and fight an outbreak of fire on board and. Motor Drivers who are one in Kowloon. The possibility of ships. They are also supplied with members of the Police Force until such time as the Chinese are delay in getting across the harbour gracke helmets. It would, I think, be sufficiently trained to carry on by should thus be entirely eliminated. advisable to have a definite arrangethemselves. The Chief Executive Certain improvements on the floats ment with the Naval Authorities for Officer of the Brigade, it is proposed, shall be an officer of the rank and are undoubtedly desirable. The reexperience of a Superintendent in the arrangement of the hose lockers is Naval parties at present attend all

London Fire Brigade. In the London receiving attention now, and will be Fire Brigade such an officer now taken in hand is soon as a satisfacdraws a salary of £475-£575 with tory arrangement has been devised. ship fires. quarters. It is proposed to offer this An electric light plant on No. 1
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lights worked from the float or in
the alternative a searchlight. A officer a salary of £600-£900 by £25 annually so as to get a really efficient man. The Captain Superintendent of Police will remain in administrative charge of the Fire Brigade as Chief Officer. The number of firemen will be increased by 2 only but it must be remembered that instead of having 78 firemen many of whom are not always available, there will now be 80 men whose

harbour for a great distance, the each float. The hose couplings of the 4" hose should be discarded and automatic couplings provided. the supply of men and smoke belimets when required, provided they agree. large fires and are most useful but their services would be invaluable at

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Sept. 16.—C. M. Enryalus. Enryalus. Lake Imawa. Sile.	July 30.—I. Cilicia.		SPEIAL CARS by arrangement at the Company's Office, Alexandra Buildings, Des Vœux Road Central	71, Rue Saint-Lazare, PARIS	Deposits at the following rates :- For I months at the rate of II per sangue	IN FRANCE: Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris; Oradit Lyonnais Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas
BANGKOK.	LONDON, July 23G. L. Glenavy.		Season and punch tickets available for all cars not all ready full running at the time stated in the Company's time tables, but not		For 4 months at the rate of 42 per annum. For 12 months at the rate of 52 per annum. EAN TONG PO. Chief Manager.	Société Générale. IN LUNDON: The National Pro-
July 27.—I.C.S.N. Chunsang. Aug. 1.—O. S. K. Kishu Maru.	27G. L. Glenluce. 29O. S. K. Siam Marn. 30P. & O. Syria.	in Victoria.	for special cars, can be obtained on applica- tion at the Company's Office. No Season ticket will be issued until payment therefor has been		Hongkong, October 1st, 1920,	vincial & Union, Bank of England Ltd. Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris Credit Lyonnais.
PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, ETC.	Aug. 3.—N. Y. K. Yobobama Maru. 10.—P. & O. Kalyan. 12.—B. F. Teucer.	Tell mindon's sussessment of period	made in Bank Notes or by Cheque or Compredore order representing Bank Notes. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,	Foochow Moukden Tainanfa	THE BANK OF TAIWAN, LTD., (TAIWAN GINEO.)	IN NEW YORK : J. P. Morgan & Co.,
July 22.—I.C.S.N. Loongsang. Aug. 2.—A. L. Silver State.	14.—N.Y.K. Himalaya Maru. 14.—N.Y.K. Kleist. 16:—B. F. Teiresias.	Every Subsequent hour20 ,,	General Managora.	Haiphong New York Vladivostock Hankow Pekin Yokobama Hanoi Paom Perh Yunnanfu	Incorporated by Special Imperial Charter, 1899	Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to an
12 -B. F. Trucar. FoP. F. Talthybius.	16.—E. L. Kasama. 19.—P. & O. Man-la.	Note.—If the ricksha be engaged within the City of Victoria, and be dis- charged outside the Western part of the	HONGKONG STOCK	Saigon funganid	Capital Subscribe , Yen 60,000,000 Capital (Paid-up), 45,000,000 Reserve Funds 9,530,000	Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.
50.—C. M. Nanking. Sept. 21.—B. F. Tyndareus. Oct. 13.—B. F. Protesilaus.	30.—B. F. Calchas. 31 G. L. Glenamoy. Sept 1.—G. L. Glenade.	City of Victoria after 9 p.m., or be dis- charged to the East of Bay View Police Station on the Eastern side of the City	EXCHANGE.	BANKERS:	HEAD OFFICE:	V. MARSOT,
Nov. 2.—B. F. Ixion. 28.—B. F. Talthybius.	2.—P. & O. Kashmir. 6.—B. F. Ke-mun. 13.—B. F. Nelens.	of Victoria after 9 p.m., an extra half fare shall be chargeable.	HONGKONG, JULY 20th 1921.	In FRANCE: Société Générale gour havoriser le Développement du	. —	Hongkong, Nov. L, 1920.
SANDAKAN. July 25.—I.C.S.N. Yannis.	16.—P. & O. Khyber. 20.—B. F. Glaucus. 26.—G. L. Glenariffe.	Quarter hour,	OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS	France, In LONDON: London Joint City &	Moji. FORMOSA-Giran, Kagi, Karenko, Keelung,	THE CHINESE MERCHANTS
JAYA PORTS, ETC.	29.—B. F. Elpenor, 30.—P. & U. Someli. Oct. 11.—B. F. Pyrrhus.	Hour, 20 11	H.S.B.C.T. T. sellingrate on London 273.	Midland Rank Ted.	Taichn, Tainan, Takow, Tainsui, Tohyen, Aks. CHINA—Shanghai, Hankow, Kinkiang,	HEAD OFFICE: Alexandra Buildings, Chater Food
July 21C. N. Tnikocwanyi. 27-K.P.M. Van Cloon.	14.—P. & O. Sondan. 28.—P. & O. Fardinia.	III.—Taipo Road. Twenty cents shall be added	and on Shanghai \$73. Banks. Hongkong Banks \$710 n. ex. rights	National Bank. Correspondents in the Chief Com-	Amoy, Foochow, Swatew, Canten. OTHERSBangkok, Hongkonz, Singapore, Soerabaya, Semarang, Batavia,	General Banking, and Krchange busi- ness transacted. Loans granted on approved securities.
28.—J.C.J.L. Hwah Hsin.	LIVERPOOL.	for each extra hot or part of an hour if the hirer causes the journey to take longer	do. £35 paid \$410 n. East Asia Bank \$162 h.	mercial Centres of the World.	Bombey, London, New York	Deposits received at rates which may be
INDIAN PORTS, ETC.	July 28.—B. F. Agamemnon. Aug. 8.—B. F. Eurypyles.	than : o 4th mile- single 75 cents 1 hour.	Centon Insurance \$405 n.	Telegraphie Address : CHIBANKIND.	London County Westminster and Parr's Bank	The Bank also conducts a Savings Department
CALCUTTA.	19.—B. F. Cyclops. 50.—B. F. Atrens. Sept. 7.—B. F. Ascanius.	return \$1.00	North China Insurance T 144 b. Union Insurance 2233 n. Yangtara Insurance 3244 b.	Interest on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Local Currency and in Gold. Terms on application.	Centres in the European Continent, Russia, Maschuria, Tsingtao, Japan, Indo-Chine, Siem, India, Philippine Islands, Java, and other Dutch Indies, Australia, America, Africa, &c.	Eongkong, Aug. 17, 1920.
July 25.—N. Y. K. Rangoon Maru.	Oct. 3.—B. F. Theseus. Eumaeus.	return\$1.504 ,, Beyond 6th to 9th mile—	Far Fasterns T 22 b. Fres Insueances. China fire Insurance \$121 b.	Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.	Interest allowed on Corrent-Accounts, and Fixed Deposits at rates which will be quoted on application. 8. KONDOH.	BANK OF CANTON
So.—B I. Gregory Apear. Aug. 4.—N. Y. E. Hakodate Maru.	HAMBURG Radia.	single\$1.75	Hongkong Fire Insurance #320 b. Smrrive.	Special facilities for French ex- change.	HONGKONG BRANOH: 3, Des Vour Road Central.	LIMITED
BOMBAY AND COLOMBO.	Sept. 15.—H E.A L Timanoek. Oct. 15.—H.E.A.L. Alderamin	return \$2.50 7 .,	Douglases \$60\ n. H. K. Steumbosts \$28\ b. Indo-Chinas (Pref.) \$38 b. 31 sa.	M. MONTARGIS, Manager.	Hongkong, September 1, 1920.	HEAD OFFICE
July 27.—O. S. K. Maley Maru. Aug. 20.—P. & O. Duners.	THE WATER SUPPLY.	Fares for journeys beyond the 11th mile to be a matter of previous arrangement in each case.	Do. (Del.) 270 8a. & b. L.R. 170 b. H.K.R.	Hongkong, April 9, 1921.	THE BANK OF CHINA,	HONGKUNG.
AUSTRALIAN PORTS.	Level and Storage of water in reservoirs	The fares here set out to apply to one ricksha with three coolies from Tsim Sha	Shell Transports 110/- n. Star Ferrics \$31 n. REFERENCE.	COMMERCIAL BANK, LTD.	行 銀 國 中	FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking Business transacted. CURRENT ACCOUNTS.
SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.	OH AND HILL DISTRICT WATER WORKS	Feui.	China Fugare \$187 b Malabon Sugare \$55 n.	Head Office: 6 Des Verna Road, Contral, Harkow Branch: Ramina Concession,	(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of the Republic of China on the 22nd of November, 1917).	2% per annum on the daily credit balances of over \$100.00.
July 25.—E & A. Kanowna. Aug. 16.—N.Y.K. Aki Maru. 20.—C. & A. Victoria.	stam 3ft, 10 in, Eelew Level with overflow.	EXCHANGE.	Missiso. Kailan Mining Adm 83/- b.		Authorised Capital \$60,000,000.00 Faid-up Capital 12,279,800.00	INTEREST ON FIXED DEPOSITS. For 3 Months 3% per summ.
Eept. 19.—E. & A. Eastern.	Tytam Prewasi. If ft. 5 in. Below overflow Tytam Intermediate Level with overflow Level with overflow	Hongkong, July, 20 1921.	Shanghai Loans Comb. \$11 n. :	hear Interest at Bates 7%, 4%, 5%, respectively.	Reserve Funds 8,607,678.00	For 12 Months 5% per annum.
TAPAR FURIS	Tok 16 ft. 2 in. Level with overflow Below everflow Wong Ner Chung. 17 ft. 14 ft. 6 in. Below everflow II in. Below everflow	On London- Bank, Wire 2/7-1	Raube see see see an \$1 b	will be welcomed.	HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.	On demand 2% per annum. LOOK POONG SHAN,
July 21.—P. & O. Manela. 21.—J.C.J.L. Tjiliwong. 22.—N. Y. K. Fado Marv.	Below overflow Level with overflow strong or milities and obstrate or sallors.	70 demand, 2/7-7	Docus, Wearys, Godower, &c.	Hongkong, July *, 1913.	HONGKONG BRANCH: 20/21	Chief Manager. Hongkong, May 24, 1921.
22.—B. F. Cyclops. 22.—J.C.J.L. Tyleboot. 24.—N. Y. K. Tajima Maru.	1980 1981.	2/8-1 Credits, 4 mouths' sight2/8-1 Documentary 4 mouths' sight 2/10	H. & K. Wharts \$ 504 b. Fhai Docks T 128 b. ex div.	NEDERLANDSCHE HANDEL	Connaught Boad, Central, Branches and Sub-branches all over China and Correspondents in Japan; New York,	
25.—Nanyo Y.K. d'rang Maru. 27.—N. Y. K. Nagato Maru.	fgtam 552.78 284.80 Fytam Byrwash 667 72.27 Fytam Intermediate 195.91 196.90 Fytam Tuk 1,005.63 1,419.00 Woma Net Chang 11.45 14.20 foktfulum 56,76 86.00	On Paris— On demard, 615	New Roginserings Ti2} sa.		San Francisco, Singapore and Manila.	BANK, LTD.
and 1.—B. F. Keemun.	Total 1,717.07 1,102.27	On New York—	Control Fatates \$143 b. Hongkong Hotels \$210 b.	(Neverlands Trading Society.) Established 18%	London Bankers: - The National Provincial and Union Bank of	. Established 1880
2-P. & O. Kashmir. 2-P & O. Khyber. 2-E. & A. St. Albans.	Consumption of water in the City and Hill Duarries in millions and decimals of gallons during the next in A June.	On demand, 489 Credita, 60 days night 61	Humphreys \$101 n.	Anthorized Capital F. 100,000,000 £8,233,223 Paid-up Capital P. 80,000,000 £6,666,866	England, Ltd. The Guaranty Trust Company of	CAPTEAL (fully paid up) _ Yen 100,000,000 RESERVE FUED _ Yen 53,000,000
3.—Nanyo Y.K. Borneo Marc. 7.—R. F. Ningchow. 14—E L. Kasama.	Denomption	On demand	Nowhoom Lands see see \$40 m.	Reserve Fund F. 17,353,284 £1,446,107	New York. New York Bankers: The Irving National Bank.	HEAD OFFICE YOROHAMA.
15.—B. F. Glaucus. 22.—R. F. Fipenor. 30.—B. F. Eumaeus.	Constant supply in all districts during	On Calcutte-	Corrow Mills LdT24 as,	Dennahas at	The Equitable Trust Company of New York.	BELFORM AND AGENCIES AT
Sept. 1.—P & O. Somali . 6.—B. F. Pyrrhus.	June of both 1920 and 1921.	On Singapore— On demand 114	Kung Yiks Leon Kong Mows T173 b.	BRANCHES :- Bandjermanin Macanar Singapore	Interest allowed on Current Ac-	BASAVIA REWORMAND PROBLEM BUREON ATRIS OF ARE
13.—P. & O. Soudan. 28 - P. & O. Sardinis. Oct. 11.—P. & O. Karmala.	Cowloom Gravities Level Level the State overflow	On Manila On demand, 108 On Shanghal	Shanghai Cotton T15:n. Yangtezepoos	Bombay Padang Boerakarta (Solo)	counts and Fixed Deposits.	CALGUTTA PREIDO CHANGGEUS RANGOON DATEST (DAINT) RIO DE JAMEIRO
AMERICAN POSTS.	STORAGE IN MINISTER AND DESTRACE OF GALLONS, LOWICON Gravitation 1971,	On demand 30 days' sight (private paper) On Yokohama—	Miscrillaneous. Coments \$17.10 b. 17.10 sa.	Cheribon Pekalongan Tebing Tinggi Djember Pénang (Deli) Djokjakaria Pontianala Tegal	Every description of Banking	FENDERIN (MUNDEN) SAMON HAMBURG SAM FRANCISCO HAMBURG SBANTLE
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July 21.—C.P.O.S. Empress of Asia. Aug. 2.—B. F. Protecilaus.	month of June.	Silver (per oz.) 37	China Providents \$12.10 n. Dairy Farms \$354 b.	Correspondents at Colombo, Madres. Pondicherry, Bangkok, Baigon, Haiphong, Hanol, Amoy, Yokohama, Melbourne, Sydney,	Special facilities for Home Ex-	Korb Sorrabaya Lordon Sydney Lor Archim Tresture
18.—C.P.O.S. Empress of Russia. 23.—C.P.O.S. Monteagle.	homemptica per head id.8 18.4 callenge	Hongkong 50 cente sub, par.	Macso Do \$30 n	New York, San Francisco, &c., &c. London Rankers—The National Provincial	Interest on Fixed Deposits at the	LYCHE TOKYO MANDA TRINADO
8ept. 14 —B. F. Talthybius. 15.—C P.O.S. Empress of Asia.	The Government Analyst's reports show that the water is of excellent quality. *Population supplied estimated from	Canton poins 141 Z dis.	Peak Tramways (Old) 49 n 81 n 81 n	The Benk buys end sells and receives for collection Bills of Emphange, issues letters of credit on its Branches and correspondents in	The Constant of management	NACISALI TRINGTAU NACOTA VLADIVISTOCA Interns allowed on Current Accounts.
Oct. 5.—R. F. Tyndarens. 15—O.P.O.S. Ecopress of Bussia.	1921 Census. Public Works Department.	Bar Silver in Hongkong 9 7 pm. Chinese Copper Ceah 3 7 pm. Chinese Copper Cents 3 7 pm.	Steam Laundrice \$3\ b. az div.	the East, on the Continent, in Great Britain,	For 12 months—5% per annum	Deposits sectived for fixed periods at rates to be obtained on application;
Nov. 2.—B. F. Protesilaus.	T. I. PERKING. Water Authority.	Rate of Native Interest 8 % Chinese Sub. Coin 141 % dia.	Water-boats \$7,50 b. Water-boats \$7,50 b. Water-boats \$15 h.	business of every-description. W. H. GROSKAMP, Acting Muneger.	TSUYEE PEI, Manager. Heathern Taberry 7 1920	T. NIBHIYAMA, Managee,

MENTHOLATUM the BEST BATALLUTE. REMEDY

FOR COLD IN THE HEAD WHEN APPLIED IN THE NOSTRILS.

OBTAINABLE FROM CHEMISTS.

HONGKONG FIRE BRIGADE.

(Continued from page 8)

WATER SUPPLY AND WATER PRESSURE Generally speaking the water supply for fire purposes is good. as controlled by the Water Authority, a Sub-Department of the P.W.D. The pressure in Victoria is good; though it varies considerably in different districts at different hours. -Group Hydrants have been supplied throughout the City. The group hydrants consist of groups of three hydrants at important points. The motor pumps are worked off a dam which is kept filled by the 3 hydrants which are close together, one hydrant being insufficient for the purpose as the draw off by the pump is too great. Before the introdection of group hydrants much time was lost in connecting up two or three hydrants situated some distance apart to feed the dam. It is further proposed to pump direct from the mains collecting heads fitted direct to the require to dispel the general when possible by means of 3 way suction of the pump, thus avoiding the use of a dam, as the latter entails a good deal of waste of water and loss of pressure in the mains. The only difficulty which still exists as regards water pressure in the City is on the upper levels. These cannot be reached by the Motor Pumps, as there is no motor road to such levels as Queen's Gardens, May Road and Conduit Road. The danger of serious confiagrations on these levels is however slight as the houses are detached or semi-detached. The pressure in the mains is sufficient to confine an

outbreak to the premises it starts in.

The same remarks apply to the Peak

where the fire appliances are confined

to Despatch Boxes containing hose

and standpipes and nozzles which are

worked direct off the mains.

In Kowloon group hydrants have been provided. The pressure is very gnod indeed in Sham Shui Po (Sai) Koki which is now connected up by a 10" main to the 12" principal feed main. This main is also available in Shanghai Street up to Waterloo Road. Trim Sha Tsui is as yet not getting burden very uneven in its incidence. the benefit of the 15" main in Coronation Road as this main cannot he connected to the 18" main in Taipo Road until the Nathan end of Coronation Road is driven through the hill. It is anticipated that this connection will be through in about a year. Hunghom is supplied by an 8" main. The principal buildings at Tsim Sha Tsui. eg. The Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co.'s premises and Holt's 6. Captain Wedgwood Benn asked Wharf are served by the Fire Floats whether the British Dyestuffs Coras are also the Hongkong and poration refused to supply British Whampoz Dock Co.'s premises. Out export firms with synthetic indigo on lying shippards are mainly protected the ground that they had their own by the Fire Floats. Such premises selling arrangements in the Far East, however should have and mostly do and suggested that the decision have their own fire appliances to tended to divert trade from this supplement the Government Fire country to Germany, Switzerland, Brigade. The owners of premises and the United States. where there are furnaces, black- Sir Philip Lloyd Graeme: I'am insmith's shops and matsheds cannot formed that under the arrangements expect the entire fire protection of made by the British Dyestuffs Cortheir premises to be undertaken by poration with their agents in China, the Fire Brigade. They should have the Corporation is precluded from their own fire service as is the case making sales of its products to meralready on all such premises as H M. | chants in this country when it is

as follows:

Personal Emoluments\$ Other Charges	40,543 36,700	
Total\$	77,243	
Special expenditure on new appliances for the year 1921 is estimated at	11,220	

To which \$16,600 must be added owing to loss in exchange and higher prices prevailing now 16,630

The proposed expenditure entailed accounts for 1920 were adopted. The by the re-organization of the Brigade profits for the six months were 9,804, Buildings is as follows:

Total.....\$108,602 Special Expenditure in 1922 is resimated at :-1 new Motor Pump...... \$ 18 000

1 Terntable Ladder Alteration and addition to Ploats Sarchlights on Floats

NEW POSTAL RATES.

GENERAL IRRITATION. FRESH BURDEN ON TRADE.

Mr. Kellaway's proposed postal reforms " will do nothing to increase public confidence, either in himself or in his Department. The new charges are to be imposed on the country at short notice—in the high-handed way to which we are now becoming accustomed-without any consultation of the House of Commonsofficial case is simple. There is a large deficit; the Post Office, if it is to pay its way must have more revenue; all that; need be done is immediately to cu' down services and put up rates. The public, however, does not take so light-hearted a view of the matter. The Post Office has done little sinc. the war to improve its service indeed, it is notoriously more inefficient now than it was before; and the Postmas'er-General will

measure of internal reform, before he can convince us of the necessity for his present proposals. Taken in detail, there are several of the new rates which are indefensible. One is the three-half-penny postcard, which means an increase of 200 per cent, on the pre-war rate, and brings the postcard up to three quarters of the price of a letter. In the printed paper rate, there clearly ought to be a discrimination. To raise the price from 2d. to 1d.

legitimate enough in the case of advertising circulars; the bulk of this sort of stuff that goes through the post is not an essential part of a sound commercial oganisation, and indeed, we do not see why it should not be charged at ordinary letter rate; our breakfast tables might then be littered with fewer unwanted communications. But indispensable business documents, such as invoices and receipts, are in a different category altogether, and ought to be treated quite differently. To double their cost is definitely to

DYES FOR EXPORT.

BRITISH CORPORATION'S AGENCY RULES.

In the House of Commons on June

however, open to merchants supplying The upkeep of the Fire service at supplies in China through the agents present costs \$77,243 p.a. made up of the British Dyestuffe Corporation in purchasers. The Government is not to dictate to firms the terms of their agency agreement.

At the annual general meeting 10,837,810 fr. The dividend of 115 Personal Emoluments\$ 59,102 fr. per share, of which 5 fr. were paid

> In conclusion I have no hesitation in saying that if the main proposals as to staff and equipment in this report are adopted, there is every reason to believe that the Hongkong Fire! 2500 Brigade will be capable of perform-6,000 ing any duties which it can reasonably be expected to perform and its Shanghai and North China \$61.500 efficiency should leave no room for adverse comment of any kind.

REGULAR AND FAST FREIGHT AND PASSENGER SERVICES.

> SERVICE LONDON (Direct)

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SERVICE LIVERPOOL (Direct or via Continental Ports)

AGAMEMNON "EURYPYLUS" "CYCLOPS "ATREUS"

28th July Liverpool & Glasgow 8th Aug. Genoa, Marseilles & Liverpool 19th Aug. Marseilles, Havre & Liverpool 30th Aug. Genoa, Marseilles & Liverpool

SERVICE PACIFIC (via Kobe and Yokohama) " PROTESILAUS" 3rd Aug. Victoria, Sesttle and 24th Aug. KOIZI "TALTHYBIUS" 14th Sept.

Vancouver SERVICE

NEW (via Sues or Panama)

via Suez 6th Aug. " HELENUS"

PASSENGER SERVICE

8th Aug. " ASCANIUS 16th Aug. "TEIRESIAS 7th Sept. " ASCANIUS 11th Oct. "PYRRHUS"

for Shanghai for Singapore & London for Singapore & Liverpool for Singapore & London For Freight and Passage Rates and all Information Apply to :-

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POST OFFICE NOTICES.

REGISTERED and PARCEL MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier than time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are sovertised to close at or before 9 s.m. registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

INWARD MAILS.

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TUESDAY, JULY 26.

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Shanghai, North China, Japan, Canada, United States, Central & South America & EUROPE via VAN-COUVER, B.C. Registration 9.15 a.m. Letters 10.00 a.m. Shanghai, North China, Japan, Canada, United States, Central and South America & EUROPE via VICTORIA.	Empress of Asia	
B.C. Registration 9.15 a.m. Letters 10 a.m. Amoy, Shanghai and North China Java and Port Moreaby via Samarang Weihaiwei, Cheloo and Tientsin	Atizona Maru Seochow Taikoowanyi Huichow	. 3 p.m.

FRIDAY, JULY 22. SATURDAY, JULY 23. SUNDAY, JULY 24. responsible for the management of Swatow, Amoy and Reeling Raijo Maru..... 9 a.m.

the British Dyestuffs Corporation, Straits, Bangkok, Calcutta & ADEN Kwaisang....... 9 a.m. and the Board of Trade has no power | Swatow, Straits and Bangkok Chinhua 9 a.m. MONDAY, JULY 25. Hoihow and Haiphong 5 p.m. TUESDAY, JULY 26. Swatow, and Bangkok Sambow 9 a.m. WEDNESDAY, JULY 27. Swatow and Bangkok 9 a.m. which includes all changes except 602 fr., and for the second six months Straits, Bangkok, Calcutta and ADEN Laisang 2 p.m. THURSDAY, JULY 28.

*Correspondence bearing versel's name only

FRIDAY, JULY 29. Swatow, Amoy and Foochow Halbong 1 p.m. SATURDAY, JULY 30. Shanghai, North Chine, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, Un'ted States, Central & South America, & LUROPE via SAN FRANCISCO. Registration 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m.... Shanghai and North China, Yingchow TUESDAY, AUGUST

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVALS.

For M. M. s.s. "Porthos,"-from Marseilles for Hongkong:—Capt H. S. Mills, Mr and Mrs Gaines, Mrs Peterson and children, Mr and Mrs Sours. For Shanghai, Mr and Mrs Moss, Mr and Mrs Gornet, Mrs Levy, Mr de Crann, Mr and Mrs Korostovetz, Mr and Mrs Caplain, Mr Sequels Mr Noblet, Mr Bouillard, Mr Gullausnin, Miss Ferens, Mr and Mrs Liebrecht, Mr Destriees, Mr Korostovetz, Mr and Mrs Kochl, Mr Ropin, Mr Oibegg, Mr Gattiker, Miss Foschi, Miss M. Krge, Miss Chebault, Mr Harbsink,

DEPARTURES.

Per s.s. "Mentor.":—Lieut. J. V.
Bond, R. V., Capt. R. Burton. Miss
Craine. Mrs H. S. Van Conylenburg.
Rev. G. Chapman, Mr and Mrs F.
W. G. Clark, Mr Cline, Mr and
Mrs E. Cockburn, Mr M. Davis,
Mrs T. R. Dunlep, Mr. F. H. Dod,
Mr F. S. Farnshaw. Mr and Mrs Eddy,
Mr M. S. Essan, Mr T. L. Fleming, Mrs
S. B. Ford, Mr J. H. Gill. Mrs Gibb and
son, Miss A. Graves, Mrs J. Helbling.
Mr J. Johnston, Mr Kentwell, Mr and
Mrs A. Lane, Mr W. Knight, Mr H. W.
McKinsey, Mr Morrill, Miss Morrill, Mr
J. Pasquier, Miss R. Phillimors, Mrs
Ourmmerman, Lient. Commander and Ourmmerman, Lieut. Commander and Mrs C. P. Satow and infant. Mrs Smart, Mr R. Schmidt, Mr E. Self, Mr and Mrs A. R. Simpson. Miss French and Mr J. T. Wynberg.

The C.P.O.S., R.M.S. "Empress of Japan," arrived at Nagasaki on July 14 (7.30 s.m.) left there on July 18 (3 p.m. and is due at Kobe on July 19 (6 p.m.)-The as "Cyclops" (Blue Funnel Line) left ingspore on July 16 for Hongkong and is due here on July 21.

The T. K. K. s.s "Shingo Maru" was despatched from this port on Saturday for San Francisco via Shanghai and Japan Ports.

The China Mail s.s. "China," will arrive at this port on Wednesday afternoon, July 20, between 4 p m. and 6 p.m. She will be despatched for Singapore on Saturday, July 13 at 10 a m. The N. Y. E. s.s. "Sado Maru" (European Line) left Singapore for this port on fuly 16 and is expected here on

The N. Y. K ss. "Tajima Maru (Pombay Line) left Singapore for this port on July 17 and is expected here on

The N. Y K. a.s. "Wasaka Maru." (Bornhay Line) left Kobe for this port on July 17 and is expected here on July 24.

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"I don't want any rubbish-no fine sentimentality-if you please," said the widow, who was asked what kind of an epitaph she desired for her late husband. "Let it be short and simple, something like this. William Johnston, aged seventy-five years: the good die young."

.There has just been acquired for the collections in the Victoria and Albert Museum a particularly fine example of Chinese wood sculpture, an addition specially welcome, since the section is not too strong in Chinese sculpture generally. The two figures, an Emperor and his son (or it may be a high official), are represented engaged in some religious ceremony. The hands of the second figure are coming together in a signal evidently for some ceremonial act. On both figures are a few slight restorations only, and the colour remaining on them shows great richness and beauty. The period of this example is early Ming. Still earlier in date-probably early Twelfth Century, Sung-is another, much smaller seated figure in wood, also just bought for the Museum. It; too, shows remaining traces of colour. The figure represents Kwan-Yin, in the attitude of Kingly Repose. This example is not yet displayed in the galleries, but the Emperor and his Son (?) is already placed in Room 62.

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The Hongkong and Shanghai It was agreed to devote it to these Bank Athletic Sports, which, like so purposes. The weather was a little many other events, has been suspend- threatening, but the rain held off ed since 1914, were again held at the during the afternoon. There was Bank's Sports Ground at New Becken- a good attendance present, including ham on the afternoon of June 4. It Sir Charles and Lady Addis, Sir may be noted that since the last Newton and Lady Stabb, Sir John occasion of a meeting there has been Jordan, Mr. Byron Brenan, Mr. and erected a fine racquet court, and the Mrs. A. M. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. ground itself has been considerably. H. D. C. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Geary extended in area. The racquet court, Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Murray, Mr. as well as another hard tennis court, H. Harwood, Mr. W. Adams Oram

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